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Fire destroys antique autos

*Phil's Auto Body
Repair lost
in Monday's blaze*

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

Automobile history and a lifetime of building a business took about two hours to go up in smoke Monday, Dec. 15 as Antioch began to awaken.

First Fire Protection District-Antioch Fire Department turned out at approximately 4:15 a.m. to extinguish a fire at Phil's Auto Body Repair, 42583 North Poplar Avenue, west of Channel Lake.

"It was fully involved when we arrived," said Fire Chief Dennis Volling. "Basically, the garage was totally lost." The cause of the fire is undetermined.

The 30-foot by 40-foot pole-style barn was home to Phil and Char Horch's business of restoring automobiles and repairing vehicle accident damage.

"Unbelievable. Just unbelievable," said Char Horch as she watched firefighters extinguish hot spots in the burned-to-the-ground pile of burned-out automobiles and caved-in walls. "Once they got here, they put it right out," she said. Chief Volling said they prevented the loss of vehicles and buildings within yards of the flames.

Lost in the fire were three vehicles and two antique automobiles. A 1990 Toyota Camry, a 1996 GMC Safari van, and C.J. Jeep were in the building for auto-body repair work.

Two antique vehicles were destroyed, a 1928 Buick and a 1931 Model A Ford.

"The Buick was perfect," Phil Horsch said. "And, I had it half done."

"The last car (Model A Ford) was one I had been waiting for 100 years," Phil Horsch said. "That was like my first car."

The Ford was the only vehicle owned by Phil Horsch lost in the fire. The others belonged to customers.

Also lost in the fire were tools and specialized equipment for repair and restoration work. "It's 30-some year's accumulation of tools," he said.

Horsch said that he and his wife bought the place in 1961. He started the business in two vehicle bays of a garage adjacent to their home. "I'll probably be back to these stalls, he said, each of which contained examples of his restoration work. One stall had a gun metal gray unpainted pickup truck passenger cab and chassis awaiting further work. The second holds a finished customized roadster-style automobile protected by blankets.

The destroyed building and customer vehicles are covered by insurance provided by Osmond Insurance Service, Ltd. "We've had him for years," Phil Horsch said. "We've had absolutely no problems at all with (Tim Osmond). He's been like a friend," said Phil Horsch.

By 6:21 a.m. fire prevention investigation firefighters John Lucas and Rich Frankson were examining the smoking remains for information about how the fire started and how it moved through the building.



Firefighters work to extinguish the blaze at Phil's Auto Body Monday morning. Two antique cars were destroyed in the fire along with specialty tools at the 30-year-old business owned by Phil and Char Horch. — Photo by Fred Chapman

Post Office planning expansion

State-of-the-art facility to be built at former McDonald's

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

U.S. Postal Service officials may sign lease agreements soon for a new retail postal service center on Orchard Street at the location of the former McDonald's restaurant.

"We've withheld any kind of official announcement," Mayor Marilyn Shinelug told a Dec. 11 Antioch Rotary Club meeting in response to a question asked by Rotary members. "They don't have a signed lease yet," said Claude LeMere, community development director.

The site of the McDonald's restaurant has been under construction for many weeks as part of expansion to an existing shopping center. The expansion adds approximately 6,000 square feet of retail space.

"The post office is doing what they call a state-of-the-art retail center," said Claude LeMere. "All the (mail) sorting operations will remain where they are presently," he said. The postal facility is expected to cost approximately \$479,000. "They are taking bids for that now," he said.

The new postal facility at the McDonald's location will have retail merchandise and mail boxes. "You can go in, pick items off the shelf, (and) bring them to the cashier," LeMere told Rotarians.

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She saws, she sews, she leads

*Antioch High Senior Class President
realizes dream as delegate
to National 4-H Congress*

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

Raising rabbits, sewing shirts, and sawing wood can develop leadership skills.

After more than a decade of fun and work, Amy Vanderkooy of Lake Villa's Guys and Gals 4-H Club has managed to achieve something that few people accomplish—she was one of 29 Illinois leadership delegates to the 76th National 4-H Congress that convened in Memphis, Tenn., for five days after Thanksgiving. The congress helps young people become more informed about society and become better leaders. She is the first to say that many people and local organizations helped her get there.

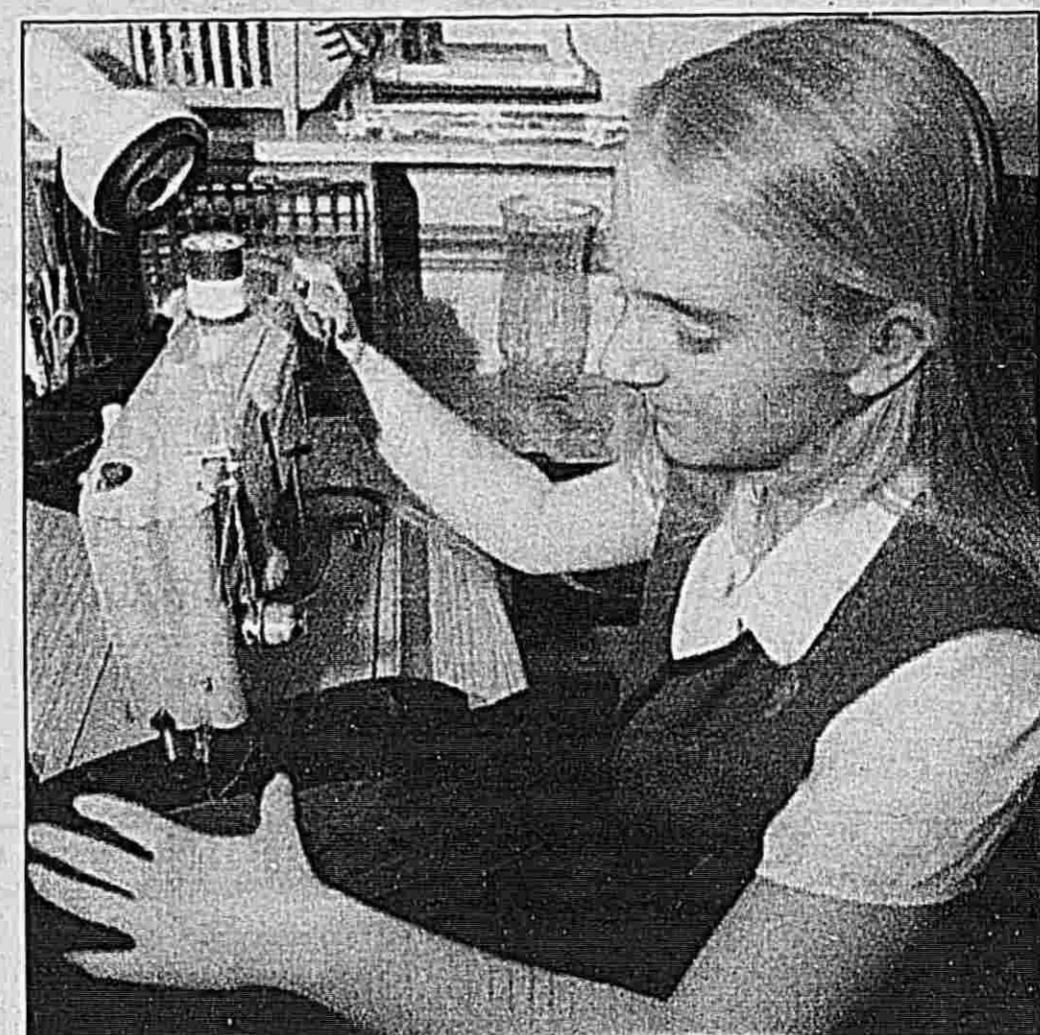
"This was a dream. This is the one I thought I would never achieve," Vanderkooy said after the Congress. She said, "National 4-H Congress is the highest honor that a person can get."

Her trip to the National 4-H Congress began when she was 8 years old. In January, she will be 18. Her selection as a candidate to the Congress was based on projects she did and lessons she learned during her entire 4-H career.

Vanderkooy describes achievement of her dream as a progression of experiences and encouragement. She got support and skills from her family. Community service organizations and businesses also helped her. All of this activity and encouragement took place within the youth leadership forming program called 4-H which is sponsored through the University of Illinois, a Land Grant College. In Illinois, there are 225,000 young people and 16,000 youth leaders who participate in 4-H.

"I got into 4-H because of the (Burnell) Russells in Volo," Vanderkooy said. "I spent my weekend's near the Russell's farm up until I was

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Amy Vanderkooy, a student at Antioch Community High School, works on a sewing project in her home, where several pieces of her work are displayed, including the curtains in her bedroom. — Photo by Sandy Bressner

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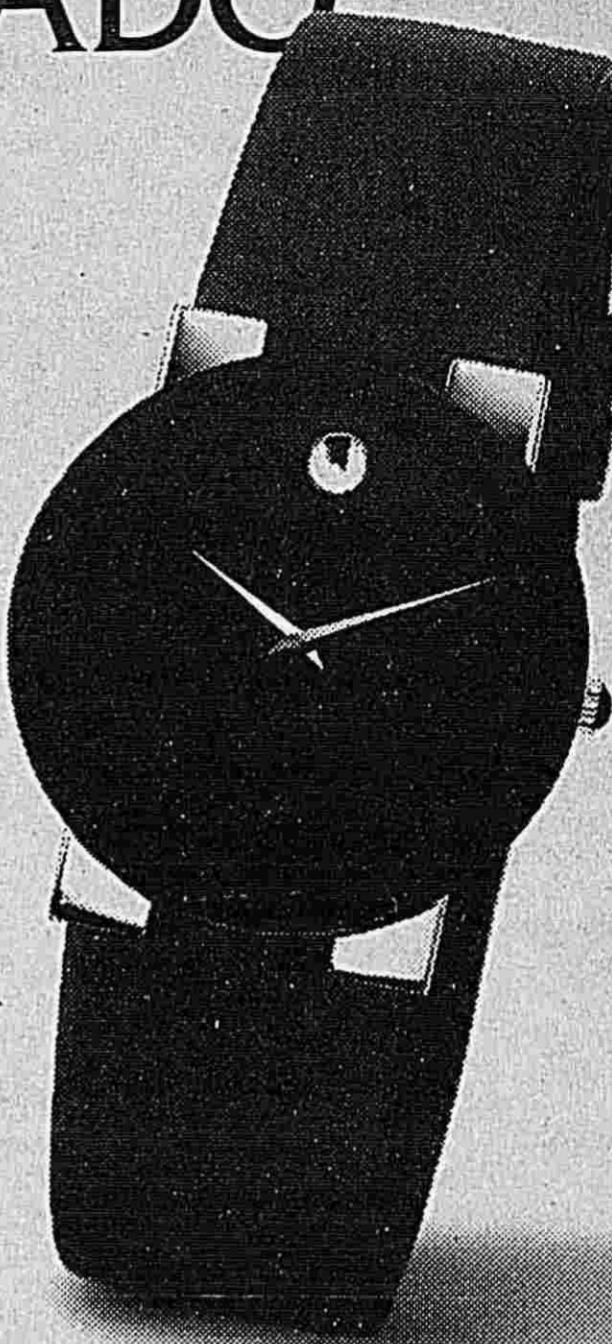
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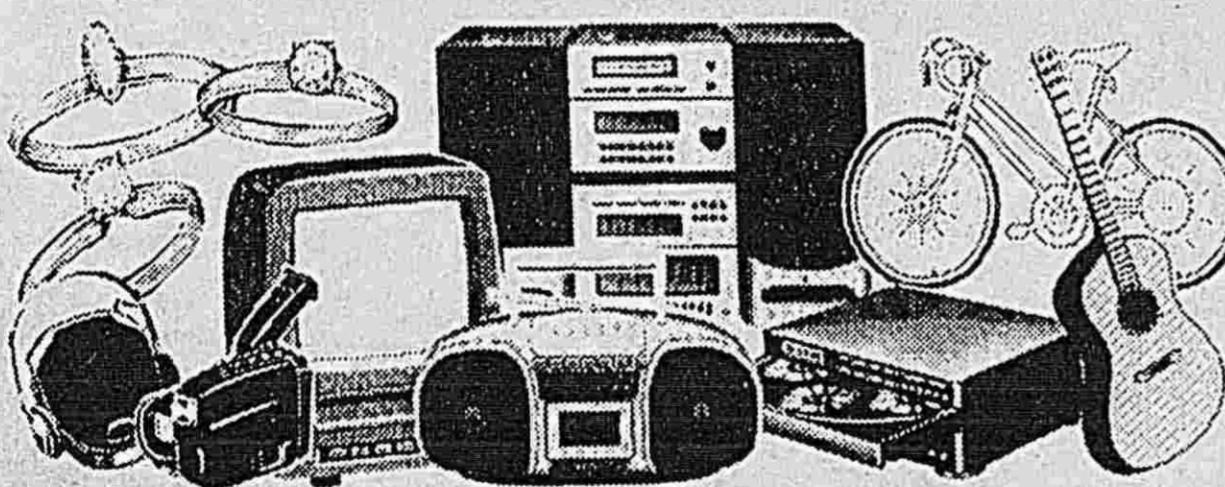


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4-H: ACHS Senior class president learns life skills

12." The family had a long history of life with 4-H. "My mom and her sisters and her brother were all in 4-H. My Grandpa Keith was in Future Farmers of America."

Another strong supporter was her Grandmother. "Angela Lemke is a Dutch seamstress and she was my teacher. She still is," said Vanderkooy. Both sides of the family receive credit from her for their support.

It was her sewing that helped cinch the Tennessee trip, and it is the trip that helped her further build her leadership skills. All her life Vanderkooy has been involved in many activities within 4-H. "I've shown rabbits, ducks. I have a bull," she said. She is very good at wood working. "I love animals. At one time I had 35 rabbits," she said. They were Red Satin pure-bred rabbits. Now she has Norman. Norman is a Jersey bull calf that she has had for three or four months. "It's just for fun," she said.

She also loves woodworking. "It is so satisfying," she said. This year she built an Adirondack chair. Last year she built an Oak curio cabinet. Past projects include shelves and a rocking horse big enough for a 5 year old child to ride. Her father, Fred Vanderkooy, helped with the woodwork. "He has a woodshop. He is my teacher."

Her mother, Dutchie Vanderkooy, taught her cooking, cross-stitching, and gave her support. "I love sewing," she said. "It's like a stress reliever." She likes to make high quality clothing that fits her and still costs less than what she would have had to pay in a store. She was able to place as Best of Show in the clothing category at the 1997 Lake County Fair.

The Antioch community itself has helped her also over the years. Vanderkooy went to Illinois Girls State with the help of women in the American Legion Auxiliary. Antioch Rotary Club helped her. "They sent me to Rotary Youth Leadership Award," she said. The Antioch Woman's Club sent her to the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Award conference. That was a national event at which Vanderkooy was able to represent Antioch Community High School. She serves as Senior Class president at ACHS as well as treasurer of the student council.

One of the more recent sources of help to whom she gives credit is Jo-Ann Fabrics & Crafts. "They are wonderful," Vanderkooy said. "They let me use their \$2,000

sewing machine to learn how to work with the new technology." Vanderkooy said that one of her sewn outfits will be hanging in the store window soon.

Her decade of 4-H participation, the time spent documenting her 4-H career for evaluation, the trips to leadership events, and all the work she invested in projects created within her a strong sense of leadership. "My greatest accomplishment is that I can stand up and talk in front of people," Vanderkooy said of her 4-H experience. She learned people skills, and she learned about getting organized. "There are plenty of times when you cut the material wrong or gouge the wood, and you have to repair it or fix it. Four-H teaches you life skills," Vanderkooy said. She said that there is always something to do.

Jane Keroson is the leader of the Guys and Gals 4-H Club and the one who worked with Vanderkooy on her projects and leadership skills. "(4-H) is the largest informal education system in the world," Keroson said. "It gives you the ability to go out in the workplace." Young people learn about follow through, planning, and filling out paperwork in addition to doing interesting, responsible projects. She said, "4-H is the best kept secret in the world." Keroson has high praise for her club members and Vanderkooy in particular. "She happens to be the type of lady who is very well-rounded. She excels in things she gives her time and energy too." She said, "You tell Amy (to do something), and it is done."

At the national congress, Vanderkooy attended educational seminars and cultural events. She met people like Dave Thomas, Chief Executive Officer of Wendy's, and Kate Shindle, Miss America for 1998. There were 1,100 youth delegates from 45 states and territories of the United States. The theme of the five-day congress was "Learning to lead...Leading to learn in a Diverse World." Seminars were held on such topics as Livestock Ethics, The Rules of Life, Youth Entrepreneurship, Time Management, Cruising the Information Highway, and the Environment.

Vanderkooy found the national congress to be a very positive "once in a lifetime experience." Participation gave her a very special feeling. "It was the feeling that I am not alone. There are other people out there who believe in the same things," she said. "It taught me to be me."

CORRECTIONS

Judy Martini is not a full-time real estate agent with Re-Max Advantage as reported Dec. 12 in the Antioch News. She said that she is a full-time

county board member and only occasionally works in real estate. In the past, she has worked as a full-time real estate agent.

COMMUNITY



In tune

Amanda Stewart, on the oboe, and Leslie Steinburg, on the bass clarinet, perform a Christmas tune with Antioch Community High School's Concert Band Tuesday evening during their holiday concert that included the school's choirs, Symphonic Band and the Lakes Area Community Band.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Village to conduct special census

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

Antioch will count noses in new development areas.

Special census counts can be done in communities that experience population growth between national 10-year census periods.

"We are not doing a census on the

whole village," Mayor Marilyn Shineflug told Antioch Rotarian Club members Dec. 11. "We are doing a census on the areas where we've gotten growth."

A special census is undertaken by villages to increase their share of state and federal funds for programs that are based on population size.

According to the Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission, the

1990 population of Antioch is 6,105 people. The regional planning agency's most recent projections for the year 2020, a thirty year time-period since the 1990 census, suggest that the village will have a population of 22,730. That forecast assumes that there will be improvements to Chicago-O'Hare International Airport and no new southern regional airport.

Antioch creates special memories

The most vivid holiday image I carry of downtown Antioch occurred Dec. 24 near midnight in 1996, maybe 1995.

We were returning from our traditional evening with Joe Jean Sarah-Greg Cat Missy Pete Judy of Deerfield and had stopped for the traffic light at Lake and Main Street by the Brans Nut Co. All of the street's trees displayed points of white light. A gentle snow had been, was still falling. No traffic. No parked cars. At the end of the street, from that angle, was the square bell tower of the United Methodist Church of Antioch with its five-pointed star blazing away. It was a gorgeous, romantic encounter with downtown Antioch.

This may be the last winter for a few years in which you too can see that sight. Maybe. The trees will be pruned in 1998 in order to help them survive a sidewalk repair project in the spring. It could be a few years before the trees can recreate their current effect.

The kind congregation at United Methodist put the star up again this year. If it snows, if you are up at midnight, get dressed and drive downtown to sit in the northbound lane of Main Street at the Lake Street traffic light.

If you need a winter memory of your town, you will want to have that one.

Choosey Child will raffle the first six Princes Bears they receive from Ty Corp. at their 891 Main Street children's wear store.

"We've started today (Tuesday) to accept tickets and we have \$100 already," said Barbara Porch, store co-owner with Steve Porch.

Raffle tickets cost \$5 and may be placed in any one of six raffle funds. "Each fund has its own Princess Bear for the raffle," she said.

People may choose among the following six intended recipient organizations: the Antioch Rescue Squad, the Antioch Community High School scholarship fund, the Lakes Region Historical Society,

enhanced the bidding opportunities of the silent auction.

The food drive by Antioch Township was a major success. Supervisor Tim Osmond said, "We got approximately 850 pounds through the efforts of the Grass Lake School and Emmons School." Collection spots had been established at the Jewel Store, Piggly Wiggly Store, the Antioch Village Hall, the True Value Hardware Store, and the Township Office. "There was a big effort by the schools," he said.

Each school's students made posters to encourage participation, and the schools exchanged the posters with one another. That worked out very well. "Big thanks go to the Lighthouse Church," Osmond said. "They were very eager to help out." Tom and Sharon Bartner and volunteers from the church picked up food, sorted it, and made sure that posters were on collection bins to obtain the food.

Antioch Junior Women's Club is distributing toiletries, clothing, and snacks to the Libertyville PADS location, since Antioch no longer is a participating in the shelter program. Donations are always welcome and can be arranged with Amy Winters, 395-2209.

Some of the ways that businesses contribute to local fund-raising efforts can take some imaginative forms. State Bank of the Lakes works on a quilt.

Jan Wilke at the bank heads up the work that eventually turns out a quilt for the Central Baptist Children's Home in Lake Villa. "We are working on one right now that we'll give to the home in August, 1998," Wilke said of the bank-wide sewing project. She said that this will be the third quilt they have sewn.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Ken Patchen at 223-8161, ext. 131 or e-mail, edit@lnd.com."

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Antioch native takes on bigger buildings

Stava starts shopping, storage center project

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

Professional training for construction contracting started at an early age for Antioch native David N. Stava. Today, after little more than three decades, he faces one year in which to complete one of his largest projects.

By the end of 1998, Stava expects to complete the Two Rivers Plaza Development for his client MCP Investments Ltd. of Naperville. The 16-acre project includes an auto-care center, a self-storage facility, and the existing Two Rivers Sports Bar and Eatery.

Stava will provide preconstruction and senior project management services to MCP Investment Ltd. He is accountable for delivery of a successfully constructed project. That is the service the firm he works for, Contracting Services, provides for clients such as MCP Investments.

Stava said his experience for this kind of work evolved from his early years with his father who owned Stava Construction. A close bond between father, Norman Stava, and son was built on the older Stava's coaching of his son about the business. For 14 years it was mostly conversation. At that point, young Stava was given

the opportunity to work and learn about the business through personal experience. It became a full-time activity.

Stava has worked with FCL-Builders in Itasca, The

Nagel Group in Lake Bluff, Ill., and now, Contracting Resources, Inc., in Chicago. He is Director of Industrial Services for the full-service general contracting firm. The Two Rivers Plaza development project represents the firm's largest assignment and was a major marketing success for Stava within the firm. Contracting Resources was founded in Spring, 1993.

Two Rivers Plaza will have a car care center of 179,000 square feet with 26,000 of it as lease space for about a half-dozen clients. Customers will be able to obtain batteries, tires, mufflers, oil changes, and tune-ups at that location. The all-seasons Self Storage Center will contain about 90,000 square feet of lease space. It will have state-of-the-art security, climate control units, individual door alarms, and indoor and outdoor parking for vehicles.

Two Rivers Plaza is at the intersection of Naperville Road and Boughton Road in Bolingbrook.



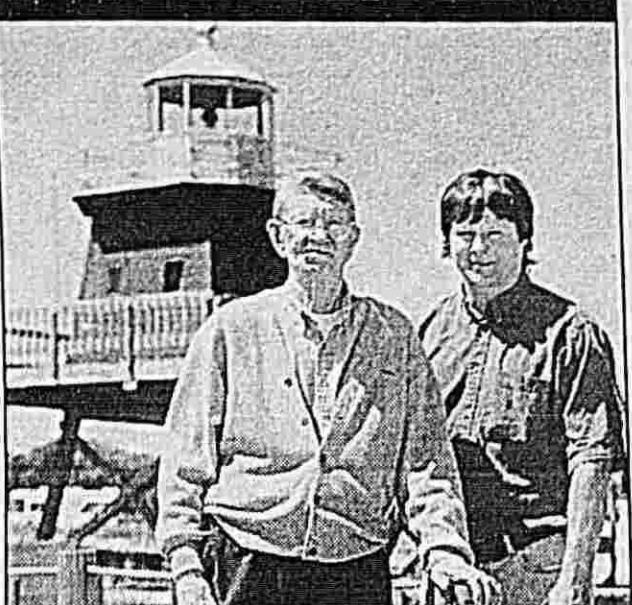
Stava: Home town builder tackles shopping project

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Christmas spirit

The Antioch Upper Grade School Christmas Concert, the Glee Club gets into Rockin' Round the Christmas Tree. Catherine Miller directed the program, and Pam Sladek accompanied on the piano.—Photo by Lynn Gunnarson Dahlstrom

Downtown having happy holiday

Retail sales strongest in years

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

Downtown Antioch retail space is almost filled to capacity and major community improvements are at various stages of implementation. This is the optimistic economic message that village officials reported to the Antioch Rotary Club.

Mayor Marilyn Shineflug presented an update on current community development projects at the Dec. 11 club meeting. Claude LeMere, community development director, provided an update on economic activity and the wetland restoration project.

Projects currently planned or underway by the village include Depot Street sidewalks to the railroad right-of-way, sidewalk-bikeway

paths, Main Street improvements, ongoing sidewalk repair, and investigation of a second fire station location east of the Wisconsin Central Railroad tracks.

LeMere presented details about the wetland restoration project behind retail buildings along the east side of downtown Main Street. He also described downtown economic activity as the strongest in many years. "We are nearing 100 percent occupancy in the downtown now," he told Rotarians.

Shineflug said that the village has received approval for an Illinois Department of Transportation Operation Green Light Project to bring sidewalks to the edge of the Wisconsin Central Railroad tracks on Depot Street. The Railroad is responsible for construction in rail crossing areas. The project will eventually connect sidewalks on either side of the tracks.

"We filed an application to get funding for the second phase of the sidewalk-bikeway path," Shineflug said. "Eventually we want it to go all the way from Deep Lake Road west over to Tiffany Road." This is a second phase sidewalk bikeway path project that will cost \$270,000 and does not require a local funding match.

Main Street area improvement projects are expected to be underway in 1998. The rear parking lot behind the downtown retail businesses on the east side of Main Street will be improved. Bad pavement sections will be removed and a new surface will be applied said Shineflug. The new alignment for Skidmore Street will bring it closer to the backs of the retail buildings. It is expected that Commonwealth Edison will have buried their utility lines by the end of summer. New signs will be erected to guide people to municipal parking and places such as the Centegra

medical services building.

The downtown streetscape will be improved with new sidewalks and street lights. Shineflug said the sidewalk project has been under development for a year. "The big issue has always been: can we save the trees? We are very happy to announce that we will be able to save the trees," she said. "The roots actually go down instead of under the sidewalk." This will improve tree survival. "We hope to begin the sidewalks in the Spring."

Street lights will be installed downtown. The project includes a combination of high and low masts for lights. There will be ten low-mast lights and eleven high-mast lights. This combination will provide required light levels. "It should work out pretty well," Shineflug said.

The village has a sidewalk repair program. Shineflug said, "We're working on a four-year program." It is for repairs to broken segments and also provides links between existing, unconnected sections. "We do about 100 squares (of sidewalk) a year," she said.

LeMere was asked questions about a new postal facility and about economic expansion evident on Orchard Street. "I think our retail climate has taken an upward tone," he said. He said that the village has potential tenants for existing vacancies in the area's retail core. He said that the years-long Globe Store vacancy was a factor of floor space and retailer needs. "It was too large for a small retailer, too small for a large retailer. In the last five years, a lot of small retail chains, like what we have in there now, Dollar General, have come into existence." That type of retailer can use these spaces.

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Referendum on tap for fire, police facilities

Antioch village trustees will discuss at their Jan. 5 meeting a proposed bond referendum to finance construction of new public safety buildings.

A preliminary estimate of \$2.5 million may include the cost of a new police building, a fire substation on the east side of Antioch, and a new fire service vehicle. Initial estimates of cost are approximate and not based on architectural drawings of a police facility. A more specific estimate of the police building portion of the proposal will be presented at the Jan. 5 village board meeting.

Land has been donated on Deep Lake Road north of Depot Street for a fire substation. The new police building is proposed for a site adjacent to the existing fire station on Orchard Street.

The bond referendum, were the village trustees to proceed with the proposal, would be voted on by village residents in the March 17 election. The village last requested a bond issue approval by village residents in the late 1970s.

New parking ordinance adopted

Village trustees adopted a new residential parking ordinance at their Dec. 15 council meeting. The new ordinance defines ownership requirements of commercial and passenger vehicles parked in residential areas. The ordinance adopts a definition of a commercial vehicle. The ordinance does not regulate recreational vehicles.

"The old ordinance is unenforceable," said Mayor Marilyn Shineflug during a Dec. 1 discussion by trustees of the proposed ordinance. Village Attorney Kenneth Clark at that time characterized the ordinance as an attempt to make it possible for people to park commercial vehicles in their driveway since the existing ordinance does not permit it. A commercial vehicle or truck is considered to be 1.5 tons or less.

Trustees proposed that the now duplicate, superseded parking regulations be removed from the village zoning code. The Village Zoning Board was asked to conduct public hearings to remove the old parking regulations from their code.

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POLICE BEAT

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ANTIOCH

Cannabis Possession

Antioch Police Officers stopped Michael T. Stahmer, 24, of Antioch, on Dec. 10 at 4:17 a.m. at Orchard Street near Hillside Avenue in a green 1992 Chevrolet pick-up truck.

He was charged with disobeying a stop sign and unlawful possession of cannabis. Stahmer was released on personal recognition pending a court date of Jan. 28 at 9 a.m. in Grayslake.

Charged with DUI

Antioch Police Officers stopped Roy J. Zeman, 48, of Salem, Wis., on Dec. 10 at 12:06 a.m. on Route 83 south of Second Street in a blue 1986 Chevy Van.

He was charged with driving under the influence. He refused the opportunity to take a breathalyzer test. He posted \$300 bond pending a court date of Jan. 6 in Waukegan.

LAKE VILLA

Cannabis possession

Lake Villa Police Officers found David C. Burba, 42, of Waukegan in Metra's Lake Villa train station parking space #92 on Dec. 4 at 9:39 p.m. in a gold 1996 Pontiac Grand-Am. He was charged with DUI and possession of cannabis.

He refused the opportunity to take a breathalyzer test. Burba was released on \$3,000 bond plus his driver's license for both offenses pending a court date of Jan. 9 at 9 a.m. in Waukegan.

No valid license

Lake Villa Police stopped Laura Ann DiSilvestro, 36, Dec. 7 at 12:01 a.m. in a tan 1984 Oldsmobile traveling north bound on Deep Lake Road north of Seventh Avenue.

She was charged with not having a valid drivers license and failure to secure children over 4 years old in a car seat or safety belt. She was released on personal recognition pending a court date of Jan. 14 at 1:30 p.m. in Grayslake.

Suspended license

Lake Villa Police Officers stopped Sabino Abarca Valdovinos, 25, of Chicago, at Cedar Lake and Winddane Drive in a silver 1988 Pontiac LeMans.

Valdovinos was charged with obstructing a peace officer, driving while license suspended in Oregon, unlawful use of a drivers

license, failure to signal, failure to wear a seat belt, and failure to notify the Secretary of State of change of address.

Valdovinos was released on \$100 cash bond pending a court date of Jan. 14 at 3 p.m. in Grayslake.

Illegal transport of alcohol

Lake Villa Police Officers stopped Edward W. Novak, 33, of Antioch, on Dec. 12 at 9 p.m. in a white 1989 Dodge Minivan on Grass Lake Road at Painted Lakes Road.

He was charged with improper lane use, illegal transport of alcohol, and reckless driving. He was assigned a court date of Jan. 14 at 3 p.m. in Grayslake.

No valid license

Lake Villa Police Officers stopped Maurilio Gonzalez, 20, of Waukegan, Dec. 13 at 2:02 p.m. traveling west bound at Route 132 near Deep Lake Road in a black 1985 Mercury Marquis. Gonzalez was charged with not having a valid drivers license and not having a valid registration.

He was assigned a court date of Jan. 14 at 3 p.m. in Grayslake.

LINDENHURST

Two warrant arrest

Lindenhurst Police Officers arrested two people in separate incidents for outstanding warrants during traffic stops for other charges.

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Michael J. Bryan, 27, of Mundelein, on Dec. 9 at 10:40 p.m. in a brown 1984 SAAB. He was arrested on a warrant for the Lake County Sheriff's Department and also charged with speeding.

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defective exhaust, open alcohol, and no insurance. He was assigned a court date of Dec. 29 in Waukegan.

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Patrick L. Henderson, 23, of Chicago, on Dec. 13 at 5:42 a.m. at Grand Avenue and Grand Circle. He was a passenger in a vehicle stopped by police and was found to be wanted on an outstanding warrant by Chicago Police. He was remanded to the Lake County jail.

No valid license

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Melanie L. Myers, 21, Dec. 14 at 3:02 a.m. on Crooked Lake Lane. She was charged with not having a valid drivers license. Myers was released on \$1000 bond pending a Jan. 7 court date in Grayslake at 9 a.m.

Charged with DUI

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Timothy E. Dogan, 30, of North Chicago, on Jan. 14 at 10:01 p.m. at Grass Lake Road and North Beck Road in a black 1993 Mercury. He was charged with speeding, no valid insurance, driving in the wrong lane, DUI of alcohol, and DUI greater than 0.08.

He agreed to take a breathalyzer test (0.09). Dogan was released on \$1000 bond plus his drivers license pending a Jan. 13 court date at 9 a.m. in Waukegan.

No valid license

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Kenneth T. Heinrich, 31, of Lindenhurst, on Dec. 15 at 6:52 p.m. at Grass Lake Road and

Auburn Lane in a brown 1988 Oldsmobile. He was charged with not having a rear plate light and no valid drivers license. Heinrich was released on \$1000 bond pending a Jan. 7 court date in Waukegan at 10:30 a.m.

Cannabis possession

Lindenhurst Police Officers stopped Richard J. Coonato, of Morton Grove, Dec. 12 at 11:55 p.m. traveling west bound on Grand Avenue near Mallard Ridge Drive in a white 1991 Dodge. He was charged with improper lane use, failure to wear a seat belt, driving under the influence of drugs, unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia, and unlawful possession of cannabis.

He declined the opportunity to take a breathalyzer test. Coonato was released on \$100 cash bond plus his drivers license pending a court date of Jan. 20 in Waukegan at 9 a.m.

Windows smashed

Lindenhurst Police Officers are investigating a series of smashed vehicle windows that occurred Dec. 12 near midnight. Eight separate vehicles had windows smashed. The vehicles appear to have been hit by a pellet or BB gun in some cases.

Streets where parked vehicles were damaged include Lake Shore Drive, Fairfield Road, Rolling Ridge at Ridge Court, High Point Drive, Spring Hill Lane, and Hazelwood Drive. The vehicles damaged were a 1987 and 1992 Ford pickup truck, 1987 Chevrolet Celebrity, 1997 Dodge Van, 1993 Ford Tempo, 1994 Ford Explorer, 1987 Oldsmobile, and 1987 Jeep.

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Eighty-nine students at Antioch Lower Grade School complete the 1997 summer reading program. The children read or were read to a total of 800 minutes or more during the summer break. The PTO sponsored the summer event and recognized students with the gift of a book. Names of the winners are listed below.

Summer readers recognized for achievement

Antioch Lower Grade School had 89 students complete the 1997 Summer Reading Program. The children read or were read to a total of 800 minutes or more during

the summer break. For their efforts, the PTO rewarded the students with a book of their choice along with a coupon donated from Baskin Robbins/Dunkin Donuts in Antioch.

The Summer readers are: Lindsay Callanan, Billy McHugh, Lauren Brinker, Beckett Gandolfi, William Givens, Luleta Mena, Chris Hall, Valerie Chess, Bjorn Jaranson, Matti Ukkonen, Megan Schmidt, David Ploss, Katie Green, Kathryn Westrate, Mike Hucker, Nichole Fremling, Kevin Budd, Trevor Popp, Booker Gibson, Erik Peters, Jessica Chelme-

ki, Emily Ortiz, Jake Murrin, Philip Burt, Jacob Allen, Brianna Hogan, Heather Bednar, Lindsey McDonald, Samantha Mills, Jason Howard, Andre Sippy, Taylor Westrate, Scotty Stilp, Allie Anttila, Brooke Wallace, Katherine McNeill, Jared Allen, Ryan Spaulding, Cassandra Mills, Eric Friedle, Casey Walker, Crystal Barton, Frank Pecoraro, Janna Krumpos, Andrew Danna, Kayla Feldkamp, Kanisha Walker, Rebecca Menzer, Jeff Baird, Jessica Latham, Alex Friedle, Donnie Powlowski, Nicholas Grindley, Ashley Hartman, Russell Anderson, Marina Vitucci,

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Chain O' Lakes 4-H receives state honor

The Chain O'Lakes 4-H Club which meets in Antioch, was recognized for outstanding achievements at the annual University of Illinois 4-H Day celebration on the U of I campus. Every year, members, leaders and alumni gather on the U of I campus to celebrate 4-H Day and recognize the excellence and diversity of the 4-H program. This year 46 clubs received recognition.

Chain O'Lakes was cited for accomplishments in three curriculum related areas: Agriculture, Personal Development and Community Development and Global Awareness. The club coordinated and conducted clinics related to the 4-H horse project which included horse riding clinics for county 4-H members, volunteered for Make A Difference Day by making mats and collecting personal care items for a local PADS

shelter in Antioch, conducted a food drive for a soup kitchen in Waukegan, supported clean up efforts for flood victims in North Dakota by sending mops, buckets and a monetary donation, visiting a local nursing home and regularly clean a two mile stretch of highway.

For more information on 4-H in Lake County, contact Susie Soukup, Extension Unit Educator, 223-8627.

LOCAL DIGEST

Levy hearing quiet

Village trustees conducted a public hearing Dec. 15 at 7 p.m. on a proposed tax levy ordinance. It was quiet. No village residents showed up.

The proposed property tax rate increase was estimated by one trustee to be approximately a half cent higher than the proposed rate at last year's hearing. Much of the higher tax rate is borne by new residents moving into recently constructed homes in subdivisions.

The proposed tax levy ordinance was later adopted by the trustees during the village board meeting.

New sewer, water facilities proposed

Village trustees will discuss at their Jan. 5 meeting a proposed bond referendum to finance construction of new sewer and water improvements.

A preliminary estimate of \$1.9 million may include the cost of a new water tank at the north end of town, replacement water mains, payment of previous bond issues to reduce interest payments, and lift stations. Bond payments would be paid from sewer and water department fees and not from taxes.

The bond referendum, were the village trustees to proceed with the proposal, would be voted on by village residents in the March 17 election. The village last requested a bond issue approval by residents in the late 1970s.

Hydrant, paving payments passed

Village trustees authorized payment of \$19,295 to M.E. Simpson Company, Inc. Dec. 15 for a hydrant flow testing program conducted for the village. All village hydrants have been inventoried. On Dec. 1, Village Manager Tim Wells had told trustees, "We'll probably be looking to contract out some repairs." Repairs would be based on the study's findings.

Trustees on Dec. 15 also authorized payment of \$15,253.48 to the Lake County treasurer for the village portion of paving Miller Road. "It was just completed in October," Village Manager Tim Wells told trustees. The final cost was less than an initial cost estimate of \$17,000. The village agreed to have the entire Miller Road paving project done as a single unit of work in order to obtain cost savings for the village portion of the paving.

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A Directory Of Antioch Area Churches

Graceland Baptist Church, 258 Ida St., Antioch, IL. Sunday School 11am., Morning Worship 11am., Sunday Evening 7pm. Robert Williams, Pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist & Reading Rm. Rte 173 and Harden, Antioch, Phone (847) 395-1196. Sunday School, Sunday Church Service 10:30am, Wednesday, 8pm.

Beautiful Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church, 554 Parkway, Antioch. Phone (847) 265-2450 Sunday Worship at 9am, Sunday School, High School & Adult Bible Classes 10:30am.

St. Ignatius Episcopal, 977 Main St. Phone (847) 395-0652. Low Mass 7:30am., High Mass 9:30am Sunday School & Nursery 9:30am.

Antioch Evangelical Free Church, 750 Highview Dr. Phone (847) 395-4117. Sunday School 9:45am, Sunday Worship 8:30, 11:00, Children's Church 11am. Nursery both services Awana Club. Senior Pastor David M. Groleau.

St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Hillside & Rte. 59. Phone (847) 395-3359. Sunday Worship, 8, 9:15 & 10:30. Church School 9am., Sunday. Rev. Charles E. Miller, Pastor.

Christian Life Fellowship Assemblies of God Church, 41625 Deep Lake Rd., Antioch. Phone (847) 395-8572. Sunday School (all ages) 9am., Sunday Morning Worship 10am., Children's Church 10am., Sunday Evening Worship 6:30pm., Wednesday Worship & Children's Program 7am., Tues. Women's Fellowship & Bible Study 9-11:30am. Jeff Brussaly, Pastor.

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Religious celebrations give meaning to holiday

By KENNETH PATCHEN
Staff Reporter

"A Christmas tree at both churches last night."

Dec. 25, 1890
Frank Simmons;
Diary entry, Antioch

Churches in Antioch celebrate Christmas with religious services that

include worship, music, and traditions adopted by their congregations.

Antioch Evangelical Free

"We are going to have a Christmas Eve service," said Jeannie Schultz of the Antioch Evangelical Free Church, 750 Highview Drive. There will be a family style service that evening, Dec. 24, at 7:30 p.m. There is no service on Christmas Day.

Assembly of God Christian Life Fellowship

There are two special services for the congregation and families of Assembly of God Christian Life Fellowship, 41625 North Deep Lake Road. On Saturday, Dec. 20 at 10 a.m., there is a service of intermixed music, sermon, soloists, and choir music. The sermon delivered by Pastor Jeff Brussaly is "Christmas Again." On Christmas Eve, from 5 to 6 p.m., there will be a Candle-light Service at the church.

St. Ignatius Episcopal

There will be Christmas Eve and Christmas Day services at St. Ignatius Episcopal Church, 977 Main Street. On Dec. 24, Family Mass will be said in a service at 5:30 p.m. Father Vincent Eckholm will have a second service at 11:15 p.m. that includes the Mass and carols. After this service, there will be a reception with refreshments for the congregation.

Christmas Day service will be a Christmas Mass at 10 a.m.

St. Peters Catholic

There will be three special religious celebrations at St. Peters Catholic Church, 557 Lake Street. On Sunday, Dec. 21, the Antioch Choir will present G. F. Handel's "Messiah."

On Christmas Eve there will be a 5:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. service. At 9:15 p.m., the St. Peters Choir will sing.

Dec. 25, Christmas Day, there will be five services. These are at 6:30, 8, 9:30, and 11 a.m., and at 12:15 p.m.

St. Stephen Lutheran

There will be two special celebrations at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 1155 Hillside Avenue. "On the 20th, Saturday, we have Christmas caroling at 3 p.m.," said Kathy Pariza of the church. "We'll be going to neighboring subdivisions to announce Christmas evening services." She said, "They sing for about two hours." Afterwards, there is a pot-luck supper with salads, sloppy-joes, chips, and desserts.

There are two Christmas Eve services. The Family Christmas Eve Service is at 7:30 p.m. and the Festival Christmas Eve Service is at 11 p.m. "They both have special music, Holy Communion, and candle-lighting," Pariza said.

There is no service on Christmas Day.

United Methodist

The United Methodist Church, 848 Main Street, has a Sunday worship service on Sunday, Dec. 21 at 8:30 a.m. At 10 a.m. there is a second worship service and the Sunday School sessions.

There are three services on Christmas Eve. The 5 p.m. service is oriented towards children and their families. The 8 p.m. service is a quiet service of meditation with Communion. The 11 p.m. service is the church's traditional candle-light service.

NEIGHBORS



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My perfect day would be: Breakfast at Rainbow.

Last book I read: was in the eighth grade.

Favorite TV shows are: Westerns.

Favorite restaurant: Rainbow in Mundelein.

Favorite music: Jazz.

My life's motto is: To live up to Santa's myth and legend.

If I could be anyone in history, I would be: I'm living it now by being Santa Claus.

My greatest accomplishments are: My work.

I want to be remembered as: Santa Claus.

If I could change one thing about the world it would be: Eliminate drugs.

People who knew me in high school would say: I am crazy.

If I could meet anyone, I would meet: God.

My dream job would be: I have it as Santa Claus.

I tried very hard to hide the fact: That I was changing my name.

If you have a "Neighbor" that you would like to see profiled in this column, call Rhonda Hetrick Burke at 223-8161.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Shelley Brausam graduated from Florida-Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., was on the Dean's List and a member of Kappa Delta Pi. Has a ME degree with a major in Early Childhood.

Her parents are Don and Linda Brausam of Antioch. She is a '91 graduate of Antioch High School and was Miss Antioch of 1991.

CLC conducts registration

The College of Lake County will conduct on-site registration for spring credit and non-credit classes at seven area libraries in Lake County. The spring semester will begin Jan. 20.

Registration will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. at the following libraries: Jan. 6 at Lake Villa 901 E. Rollins Rd., Round Lake; Jan. 7 at Ela Area Library, 135 Buesching Rd., Lake Zurich; Jan. 8 at Lake Forest, 360 E. Deerpath; Jan. 12 at Zion-Benton, 2400 Gabriel, Zion; Jan. 13 at Vernon Area Library, 300 Olde Half Day Rd., Lincolnshire; Jan. 14 at Warren-Newport, 224 N. O'Plaine Rd., Gurnee; and Jan. 15 at Cook Memorial, 413 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville.

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Calendar

Saturday, Dec. 20

9:30-10:30 a.m. Antioch Share accepts donations of gifts of personal items for Hillcrest Nursing Center residents at Antioch VFW Hall on North Avenue

Noon-4:30 p.m. Santa Claus at Santa Workshop, Lake Villa Train Station, sponsored by Lake Villa-Lindenhurst Chamber of Commerce

Sunday, Dec. 21

In the year of 1905
Palmer Brothers open feed mill in old cider mill behind lumberyard and will grind feed Mon. through Thurs. each week. Info. courtesy of Lakes Region Historical Society, "Antioch, IL. A Pictorial history, 1892-1992."

Winter Solstice

7-9 p.m. Open Gym at ACHS for adults 18 and over. Cost is \$2

11 a.m. Shut-in Mass for the handicapped, Father Hanley Center, Antioch

7:30 p.m. Handel's Messiah by Antioch Community Chorus at St. Peter Church in Antioch, free adm.

Monday, Dec. 22

Start of ACHS winter break

Through January 2: Christmas Vacation, no school for Antioch Lower Grade School

Call Hastings Lake YMCA to schedule children 8-16 years old for Dec. 27-31 Winter Resident Camp program, info. at 356-4001

12:45 p.m. Bingo at Antioch Senior Center, for additional information call 395-7120

7-9 p.m. Post-high Men's Basketball at Antioch Evangelical Free Church, call 395-4117

7:30 p.m. Antioch Jaycees meet at Grass Lake Landing, Rte. 173, call 395-8035 for information

7:30 p.m. Lakes Area Community Band at ACHS, info. at 395-5566

Tuesday, Dec. 23

Hanukkah begins at sundown

9-11 a.m. Ladies Bible Study at Antioch Evangelical Free Church, child care provided, call 395-4117

11 a.m. Antioch AARP Chapter 387 (for adults 55 and older) meets at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr., for additional information call 395-5068

6:30-8:30 p.m. High School Boys Basketball, a full court, at Antioch Evangelical Free Church

6:45 p.m. Antioch VFW Bingo, refreshments available. Doors open at 4:30 p.m., call 395-5393

7 p.m. Antioch Public Library District Board meets

7-9 p.m. Antioch Boy Scout Troop 92 meets at Antioch Scout House, Williams Park

Wednesday, Dec. 24

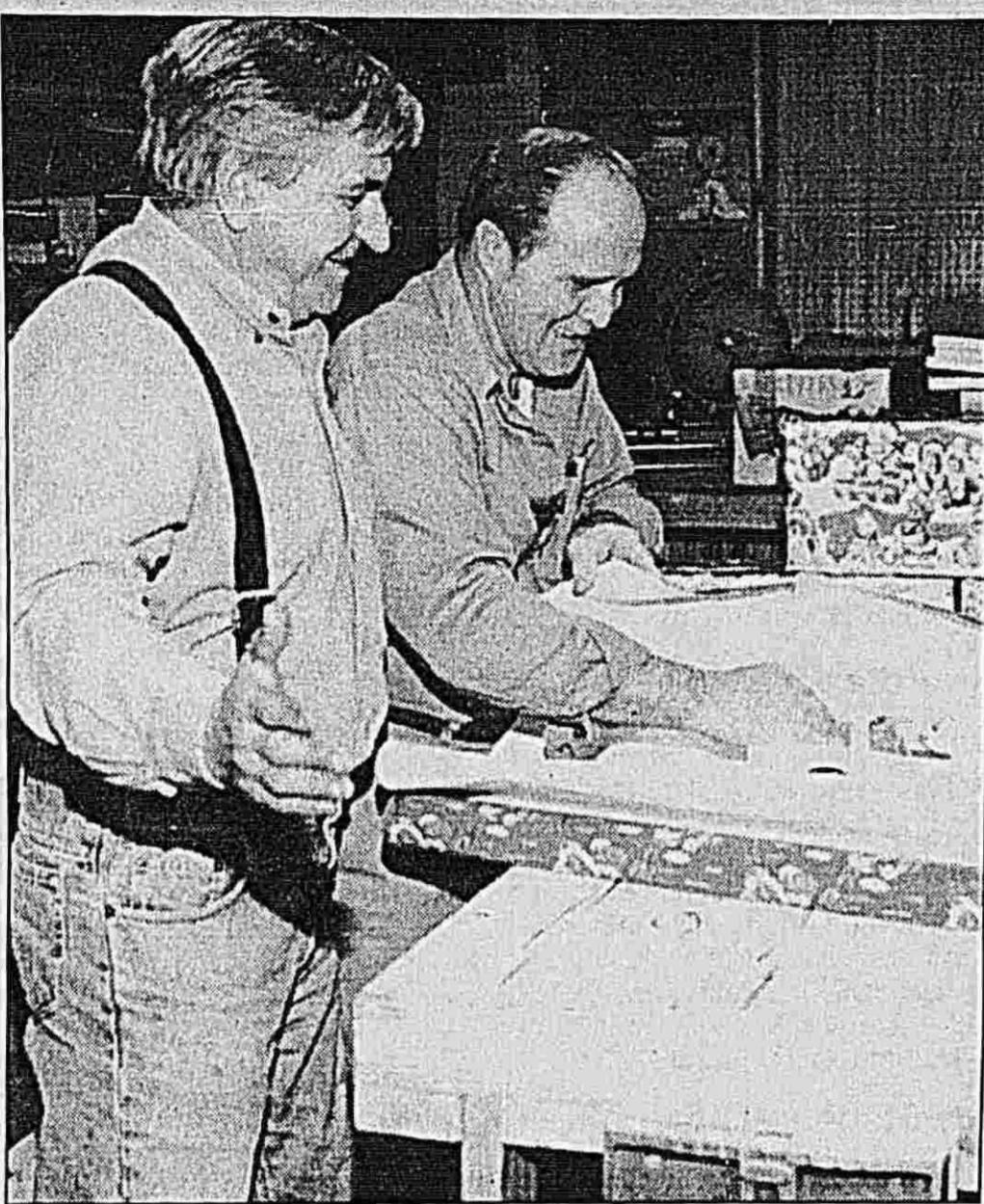
9 a.m. Line Dancing, 9 a.m. Crafts, 10 a.m. Exercise Class, 10:30 Sing-a-long at Antioch Senior Center, info. at 395-7120

Thursday, Dec. 25

Christmas Day

GOT SOMETHING GOING ON? CALL US!

A 14-day notice is needed for all calendar requests. Ask for Cristina Feindt 223-8161, ext. 104.



Wrapping up memories

Darrole Lance, left, and Noah Poole wrap Christmas toys for children. The Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 06-11 and the Antioch Moose Lodge collected more than 100 toys which will be given to children who live in Mooseheart, Ill., this holiday season.

—Photo by Fred Chapman

BIRTHS

Peter Oreste Tognarelli, a son, Peter Oreste, was born Nov. 13 at Highland Park Hospital to Peter and Mary Tognarelli of Antioch. He has a brother, Kevin, age 7 and sisters, Shannon, age 5 and Cassidy, age 3. Grandparents are Tom and Shirley Cerney of Fox Lake and Lorraine Tognarelli of Antioch.

Megan Elizabeth Behrendt, a daughter, Megan Elizabeth, was born Nov. 27 at Lake Forest Hospital. Grandparents are Janet and David Woods of Antioch and Sally McAvoy of Sparta, Wisc. Great grandparents are Frank and Grace Colette of Antioch and Howard; Joyce Woods of Lake Geneva, Wisc. and Torri Skach of Jacksonville, Fla.

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It's beginning to look like Christmas

Well folks—this is it. This is the last weekend to get out there among the masses and finish up (or start) your Christmas shopping for the 1997 season. Those of you who are finished and have all your presents wrapped, tagged and adorned with festive bows—get a life. Those of you who have yet to even begin making a shopping list for all your loved ones—gift certificates work well.

It's bad enough that you have to be creative and clever and come up with a knock-your-socks-off kind of gift for Aunt Edna, but then you have to come up with a unique treasure to give to her from your kids as well. Thank goodness for those laced-edged hankies; where would we be without those "token" treasures.

Well, hopefully the school which your children attend sponsored one of those festive little Santa Secret Workshops. These events answer some prayers and usually create some precious mementos.

Oh, don't they come home with some priceless treasures from that little shopping excursion. These make-shift stores are a scaled down version of a cross between Dollar bills and Wal-mart. The children take this shopping adventure quite seriously as they stroll among cafeteria tables laden with "I Love You Dad" mugs, bean-filled animals, fashion jewelry, Christmas trinkets, "Mom" pens, and various other goodies.



JINGLE FROM PRINGLE

Lynn Pringle

You can see the seriousness in their faces as they desperately seek the most priceless riches for their moms, dads, grandmas and grandpas. The little ones always pass up the practical gifts such as traveling First-Aid kits, and sturdy window scrapers and head directly for those rhinestone embellished earrings for mom, and plastic musical angels for grandma. What dad doesn't need a key-chain adorned with a small yellow "smiley" face. Manufacturers know that kids love and will buy anything that glitters, makes music or smells like your grandma's attic—or at least makes mom glitter or smell like the attic.

Of course, these smart and savvy little shoppers also know that if any funds are left over after their obligatory gifts have been bought, the aisles are wide open for them to buy a little something for themselves. These self-indulgences always seem to be the pick of the litter. After their wares have been bought these weary shoppers cradle their purchases with utmost care and exchange good fortunes with their classmates in finding the most perfect gift for mommy and daddy.

Come Christmas morning (that

is if they can wait that long before spilling the beans as to what they bought for you) they shake with excitement as mom opens her fake-diamond pin and dad unwraps his nylon and Velcro wallet.

For those of you who have yet to experience this phenomenon, wait. It's definitely worth charging up the video recorder battery to capture the event. And to you first time around moms, let me give you a little advice: after the kids are all tucked in their beds with visions of sugarplums dancing in their heads, before you, in your kerchief, and pa in his Minnesota Viking cap (okay, I'm modifying this from the Pringle household perspective) settle in for a long winter's nap, go into the bathroom and lock the door. Then stand in front of the mirror and practice the exclamation of delight that you will use come Christmas morning when you open little juniors gift. Then after you have mastered that look, practice it again trying to hold back those tears of laughter that are bound to come over you in waves, and I'm talking tidal wave proportions here, once you figure out what exactly it is you are holding in your hands and what its purpose is on God's green earth.

Merry Christmas to all, and to all a good night.

And so goes another "Jingle from Pringle."

Readers with information for "Jingle from Pringle" should call Lynn Pringle at 395-6364.

Hastings offers parents a break with Kids Winter Camp Program

Hastings Lake YMCA offers a winter resident youth program between Dec. 27 and 31 for youth 8 to 16 years old.

Mary Jo Boone, resident camp director, said that Hastings Lake YMCA is offering four days and nights of winter fun to energize a winter holiday program. "We offer tobogganing on our toboggan

slides, swimming in our indoor pool, climbing on our Alpine Tower, fun indoor and outdoor group games, leather crafts, a dance, and more," said Boone.

Boone said that the program also offers two downhill ski trips. "Skiing is for all levels, beginners to advanced, and will include lessons, ski equipment, lift tickets and fun in the lodge."

The four day program is an exciting way for kids to spend time between holidays she said. "Call 356-4001 for a brochure and more information," Boone said.

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New arenas not just issue in the pro ranks

The Washington Bullets, I mean Wizards, recently moved into a new arena. The Cleveland Browns/Baltimore Ravens, LA/Oakland Raiders, LA/St. Louis Rams and Houston/Tennessee Oilers all required new stadiums, and the issue forced each of them to move to a new city. Now, the Grayslake Rams just moved into a brand new basketball fieldhouse. And so far the Rams of Grayslake have a better record in their home than any of the aforementioned teams.

Granted, Grayslake High School didn't threaten to move to a different city that would spring for a new gym, but the similarities exist. Last week, the Grayslake boys christened the new fieldhouse with a 61-50 win over conference foe Woodstock. The ever expanding school now has a gym to rival those of the larger schools in the area, and both the Rams boys and girls teams are working to ensure that they establish a true Grayslake home-court advantage.

Lakeland's Football Coach of the Year, Carmel's Mike Fitzgibbons, has stepped down as head football coach of the Corsairs. Fitzgibbons, who has coached for 19 years, ran up a 67-51 record for the Corsairs, including last year's 8-4 mark and a trip to the quarterfinals. He has amassed 10 winning seasons and reached the post-season six times.

Fitzgibbons, 41, will use his recently-acquired Masters' degree to set up a counseling service. The Corsairs have set a Jan. 5 deadline for resumes, and for those interested, please contact Andy Bitto at Carmel High School at 566-3000.

Former professional football player turned movie actor and sportscaster Howie Long was a hit among Blue Devils gathered for a special appearance at Planet Hollywood.

Long did not mention Xs and Os of football, but was on hand at Planet Hollywood to plug his new movie, "Firestorm."

"He is pretty crazy. Then again all football players are crazy," said WTHS lineman Shane Knaar.

"He seemed to be a nice guy," running back Chris Thomas said.

Long stared in a long career with the Oakland Raiders as a hall-of-fame caliber defensive end.

Long did mention that fellow Fox sportscaster Terry Bradshaw would "be jealous" when he shows off his Planet Hollywood wear. He also presented movie memorabilia to Planet Hollywood officials.

The "Firestorm" movie, starring William Forsyth, and Scott Glenn opens Jan. 9. "It is a great action film," Long told the gathering.

Brendan O'Neill can be reached at (847) 223-8161, ext. 132; fax (847) 223-8810; or e-mail at edit@lnd.com.

CORRECTION

Last week we incorrectly spelled the name of a member of the Antioch girls basketball team. The correct spelling is Amie Carlberg, who scored six points in Antioch's 51-24 win over Zion-Benton. We regret any confusion this may have caused.

ACHS girls fall to Warren

Sequoits routed by Blue Devils and Moo's inside play

By STEVE PETERSON
Staff Reporter



The Moo family had a busy day of basketball on the Saturday agenda.

First, there was Becky's game with Antioch as the Blue Devils sought and gained their second win in 24 hours. Becky wanted to have some good accomplishments to tell her older brother Luke, playing that night for Wheaton College.

She had plenty of stories as she scored 16 points, added five blocked shots in a 56-33 Warren romp over Antioch.

The night before, playing in the prime time slot of Friday normally reserved for the boys, Warren cruised 51-31 over Mundelein.

"It was just fun. We all did well, especially on defense led by Tiffany (Kelver) and Nicole (Thompson)," said Moo. "The toughest challenge about playing forward is after catching the ball. Then everyone is trying to hit you," said Moo, a junior.

A 27-8 Warren run opened the game. Antioch could not get going as early turnovers plagued the home team.

Sharnell Smith, a sophomore, scored 10 points and Kathy Huntington tallied eight on shooting from the perimeter.

"In the first half, our big people really responded with Becky, Smith and big rebounds from Peterson (April)," said WTHS coach Bruce Campbell. "That was Sharnell's second straight good game."

Huntington was unstoppable in a 22-point game against Mundelein.

She had two three-point baskets.

Warren led by 44-17 after three periods against Mundelein and 41-20 after three against Antioch.

Warren improved to 7-2, 2-0 to share the early lead in the NSC. Stevenson visits Dec. 19 in another Friday night clash at the Almond gym.

Antioch had trouble on defense as Warren would either use Moo's inside play or dish it out to Huntington, sometimes with cross-court passes over a zone defense.

A 10-3 run in the third period by Warren extended the lead to 41-17. Kelver had two assists in that stretch, Thompson had one.

Stevenson stopped Antioch 56-28 as the Sequoits dropped games against traditional powers.

The sophomores were the bright spot for ACHS (4-4, 1-2). Amy Carlberg had eight points and Megs Kotlarz added a three-pointer against Warren.

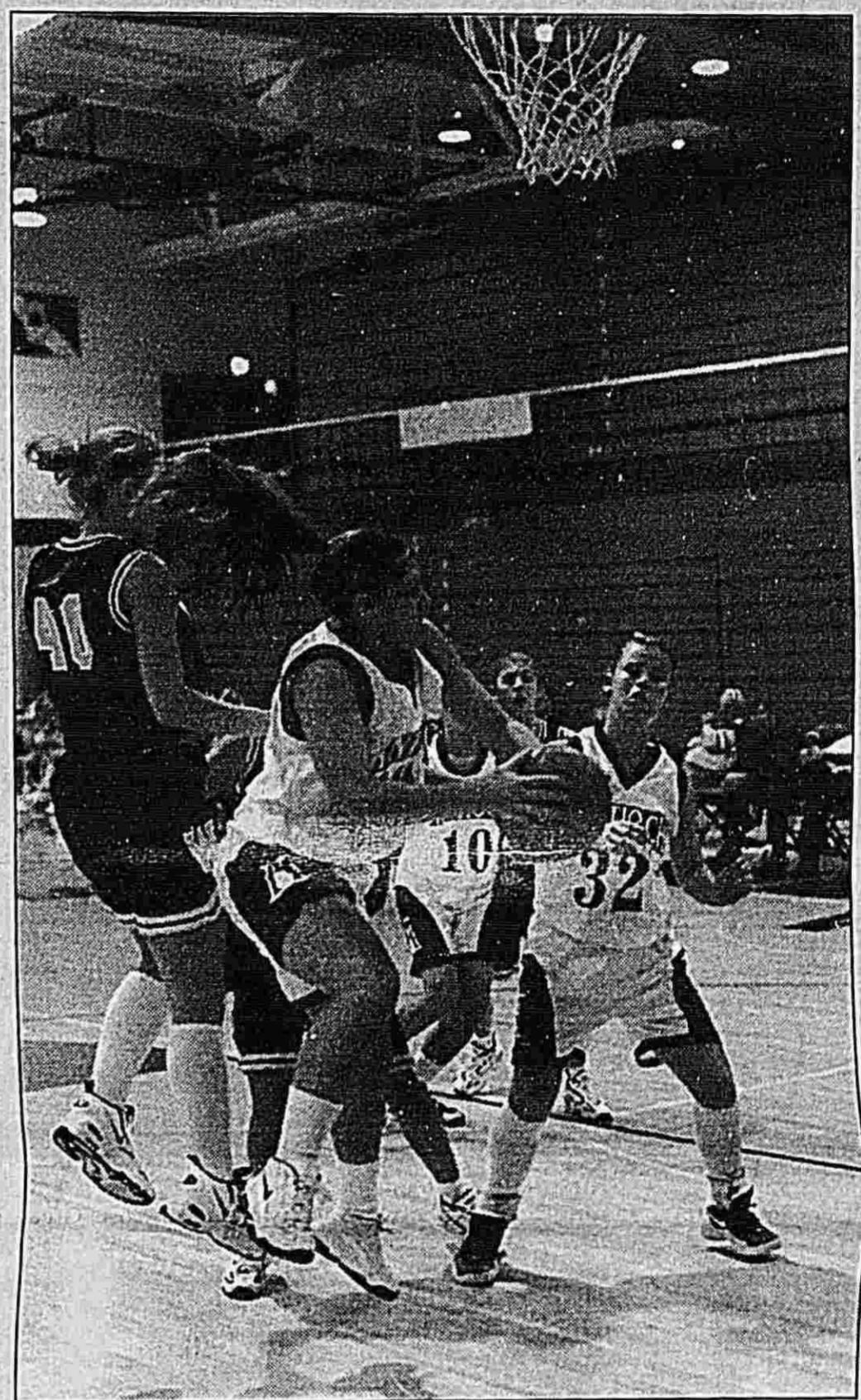
"Stevenson did not play that well man-to-man defense. We only shot 20 percent and we had lay-ups and three-pointers we could not make. Warren presented some match-up problems for us against the zone or man. The frustrating aspect is we had a weekend where we could have shown we can play against the top teams in the conference and we did not do that. Now we are one of the also-rans," said ACHS coach Dave Woods.

A clash with North Chicago Dec. 16 could be a momentum builder or turn into a grinch-like Christmas heading into McHenry's tournament.

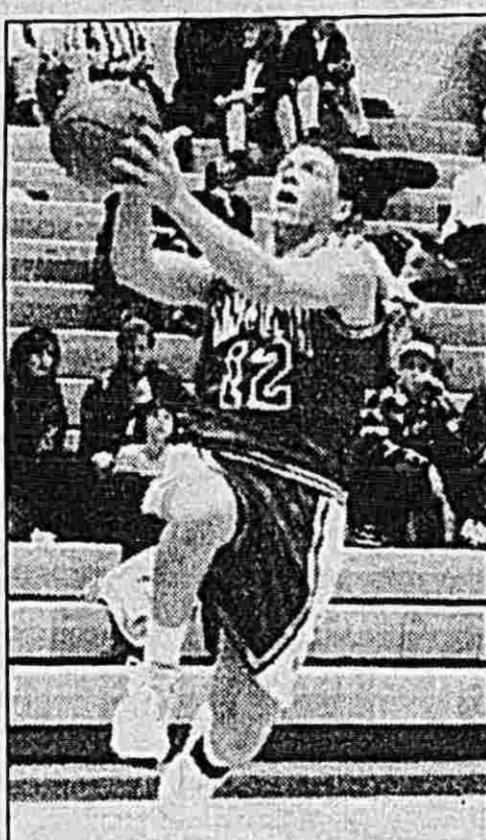
"That could be a make or break game. If we win, we could have some momentum before the McHenry tournament," said Woods.

Warren has earned its area wide ranking in the top 20, said Woods.

"Warren has a great inside-outside game. If they come ready to play, I can see why they are ranked so high," said Woods.



Antioch's Kelly Strysick, a junior, rips down a rebound in Antioch's 56-33 loss to Warren. The Sequoits are now 4-4 overall, 1-2 in NSC play.—Photo by Steve Young



Antioch's Chris Groth flies in for two in Antioch's 66-49 loss to Warren. The Sequoits play at North Chicago Friday.—Photo by Steve Young



Carden

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Name: Nate Carden
School: Antioch
Sport: Wrestling
Year: Senior
Last week's stats: Helped Sequoits beat Stevenson 45-30 by recording a fall at 215 pounds in 3:59.

Name: Amie Carlberg
School: Antioch
Sport: Basketball
Year: Junior
Last week's stats: Scored 8 points in Sequoits 56-33 loss to Warren

Poor start dooms ACHS bowlers

Antioch's bowlers found themselves in an early deficit they could not recover from in a match against Warren.

"We missed four spares in the first four frames and we never caught up. We were down 170 pins after the first game and that was too big of a hole to come out of," said ACHS coach Steve Haenchen.

Warren won the North Suburban Conference match 2,386 to 2,073.

"It has been a long month with several matches and tournaments. The kids are a little bowling fatigued. The break will do them good," said

Haenchen.

ACHS (3-3) was led by Diana Bandman. The senior had a 481 series, 172 high game.

"Diana has bowled better. She missed some time due to school and work commitments, but she has worked hard," said Haenchen.

Stefanie Foresta was the only other bowler to top 400 at 423 (155); Stephanie Martz had a 397 (159); Amanda Phelps a 392 (147) and Amber Swiderek a 380 (132).

Tiffany Radman led the winners with a 543.

Phelps was coming off some strong outings.

Stahoviak prepares for 1998 comeback

By STEVE PETERSON
Staff Reporter

A more determined Scott Stahoviak will begin preparation in earnest for the upcoming major league baseball season.

"I have to go out and win a job in spring training. It makes you work harder to get a starting position," said Stahoviak.

Stahoviak admits the 1997 numbers were not what he had hoped for. In 91 games, he hit just .229. A struggling .201 in the second half of the season makes the first baseman ready to redeem himself this spring.

"I was injured (a spiral fracture in the left little finger on opening

day) but that is no excuse," he said. The 1996 season was Stahoviak's best.

He played in 130 games, a career best, hit .284 with 115 hits including 30 doubles and 13 home runs, two of the pinch-hit variety. He established career highs in every offensive category and was second on the team in home runs with a five-game hitting streak. He hit well in the clutch (.341 with runners on third and .375 with the bases loaded) in a season which saw the Twins in the hunt for a wild-card spot until the final two weeks. Defensively, he had just one error in 556 total chances at first base and saw some playing time at third.

"In 1996 I was able to stay healthy. It is hard to explain—it just

worked out that way," said Stahoviak.

This past season did have its highlights for Stahoviak—including a 1-4 performance in an inter-league game at Wrigley Field, his boyhood hangout.

"It was a lot of fun being there. The park has so much history. I started the third game of the series after Paul Molitor started the first two," said Stahoviak.

Whether or not the Twins remain in Minnesota long is anyone's guess. A North Carolina interest is trying to buy the team and a new stadium deal is the big hang-up.

"Minnesota would love to keep us here. We have great fans who want us to stay," said Stahoviak.

Stahoviak, a 1988 graduate of

Carmel High School, maintains his Lake County roots. He gave a month of his time to help Carmel players individually with their baseball skills at his alma mater and he capped the sessions off with a talk at a clinic.

Carmel baseball coach Chuck Gandolfi said Stahoviak's assistance had an impact on his players.

Stahoviak 6-5, 230, who wears the familiar No. 37, lives in the area and works out at a local gym.

"My father is my biggest inspiration. He coached me in little league and has always been a tremendous help. He still travels up to Minnesota and when we play in Chicago or Milwaukee," said Stahoviak of his father, Ed.

Ex-Carmel baseball mentor Joe

Pudlo believes one of his greatest baseball memories is coaching Stahoviak for three years on the Carmel varsity.

"He had a lot of talent, and he is the best athlete I have ever coached. He worked hard at his weaknesses, something that is hard for players to do," said Pudlo.

"We brought him up his sophomore year to the varsity as a pitcher. He was so good, we wanted to use his talents every day," said Pudlo.

At age 27, the thrill is still there for Stahoviak, but a more determined ex-Creighton and Carmel star will be reporting to spring training in Fort Meyers, Fla. in a matter of weeks. And he'll be gunning for a starting spot.

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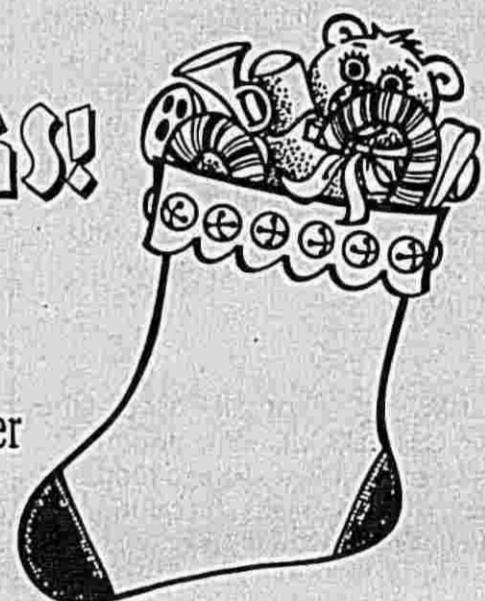
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COMBINED PLAN COMMISSION & ZONING BOARD
VILLAGE OF ANTOCH
FILE NUMBER: PZB97-14
PETITIONER: Deercrest Limited Liability Company (LLC); c/o James Follensbee - Deercrest Ltd., 269 Market Square, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045; (847) 234-1476; FAX: (847) 234-1607; and the Bank of Waukegan as Trustee of Land Trust No. 3018
OWNERS: Otto and Mary Jane Sprenger, beneficial owners of trust
1301 E. Route 173
Antioch, IL 60002
PHONE: (847) 395-1003
PROPERTY: Property is commonly known as 1301 E. Route 173, situated on the north side of Illinois Route 173, approximately one-quarter of a mile on either side of the intersection with Savage Road; consisting of 234.44 gross acres; identified on the Lake County Tax Parcel maps as PIN 02-11-300-003, (except for that approximately 5.5 acres nearest the Redwing Marsh recently conveyed to the State of Illinois, Department of Natural Resources), and 02-14-100-001, and is legally described as follows:
The Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 46 North, Range 10, East of the Third Principal Meridian, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 11, Township and Range aforesaid, (except that part described as follows: commencing at the Northwest corner of the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 11, thence North 89 Degrees 35 Minutes 35 Seconds East, along the north line of the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 11, a distance of 1324.38 feet to the Southeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 11; thence South 66 Degrees 58 Minutes 36 Seconds West, a distance of 1419.72 feet to a point on the West Line of the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 11, a distance of 500.00 feet South of the point of beginning; thence North 00 Degrees 05 Minutes 44 Seconds East, along the West Line of the North Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 11, a distance of 500.00 feet to the point of beginning), in Lake County, Illinois.
REQUEST: Petitioner requests approval of a preliminary Planned Unit Development, (PUD), Plan within the existing R-1 Single-family zoning district. The proposed plan is entitled: Deercrest PUD, dated: Nov. 13, 1997, prepared by: James Follensbee and Associates Ltd., Architects, Planners, and Engineers, Lake Forest, Illinois.
PROPOSAL: Petitioner proposes to develop the property as a residential Planned Unit Development, with a maximum of 515 dwelling units. A dwelling unit mix is proposed as part of the PUD, which would include detached single-family, detached zero lot line single-family, and attached single-family, (e.g., townhomes). Copies of the petition and proposal are available for public reference at the office of Village Clerk, 874 Main Street, the Department of Planning, Zoning & Building, 885 Toft Avenue, and the Ready Reference Section of the Antioch Public Library, 757 Main Street.

DATE: Thursday, January 8, 1998
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Board Room, Village Hall
874 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002

All persons desiring to appear and be heard thereon for or against said petition may appear at said hearing and be heard.
Barbara Johnson, Chairman
Planning & Zoning Board

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December 19, 1997

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
COMBINED PLAN COMMISSION & ZONING BOARD
VILLAGE OF ANTOCH
FILE NUMBER: PZB97-15
PETITIONER: Village of Antioch
874 Main Street
Antioch, IL 60002
Phone: (847) 395-1000

REQUEST: Petitioners are requesting an amendment to Section 150.106(C)(10)(c) of the Zoning Code of the Village of Antioch.
PROPOSAL: The proposed zoning text change would require that a Planned Unit Development, (PUD), which is developed in phases to be subject to the same declaration of covenants, conditions and restrictions, and the same homeowners' association for all phases of the PUD. (A similar regulation is being proposed for Section 152.047 (E) of the Subdivision Code.) Copies of the petition and proposal are available for public reference at the office of Village Clerk, 874 Main Street, and the Department of Planning, Zoning & Building, 885 Toft Avenue.
DATE: Thursday, January 8, 1998
TIME: 8:30 P.M., or later depending upon the conclusion of a hearing scheduled earlier the same evening.
PLACE: Board Room, Village Hall
874 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002

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1297B-1480-LV
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/s/ David S. Davies, December 9, 1997

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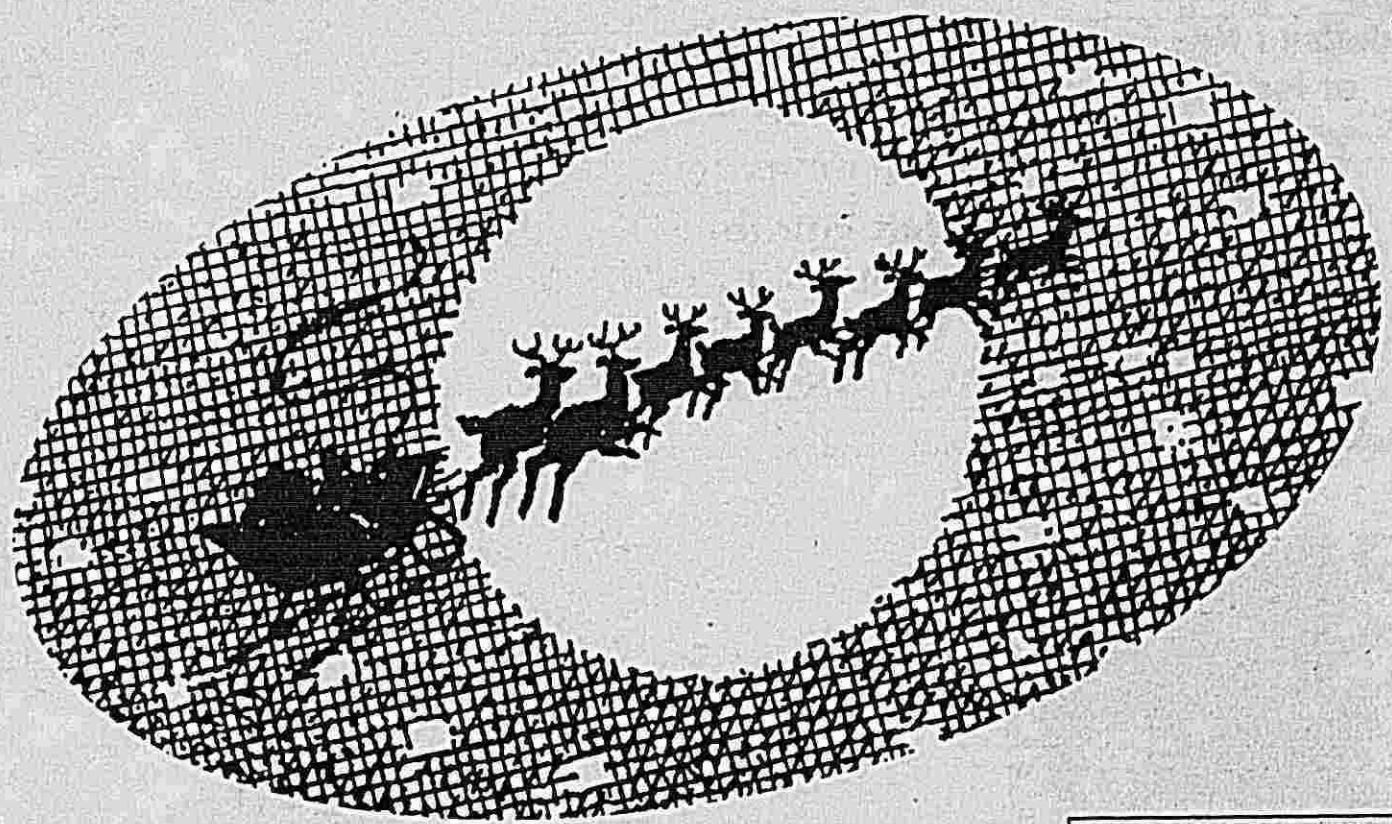


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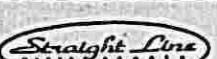
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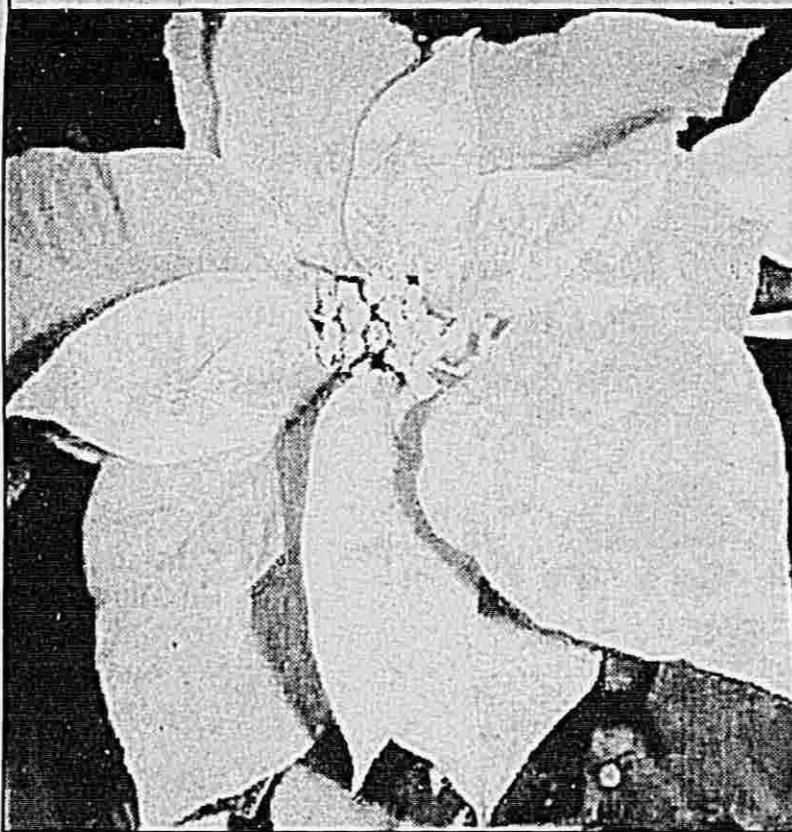
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- **Command Performance™ (1-800-873-8263)**—Everyone has a favorite movie, song, actor, actress or music group that they just can't get enough of. These 'favorite things' add to the experience of life. They bring on a smile and fond recollection. Command Performance is dedicated to offering many memories through limited edition keepsakes. For example, a rare signed John Lennon lithograph and a Wizard of Oz Wicked Witch of the West cookie jar are among the treasures to be found in this catalog.

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Why search all over town when a quick phone call can provide you with plenty of ideas for that unique and memorable holiday gift idea for a friend, loved one or business associate. With the time saved by shopping through these catalogs, you can devote more time to enjoying the holiday season. Happy Holidays!

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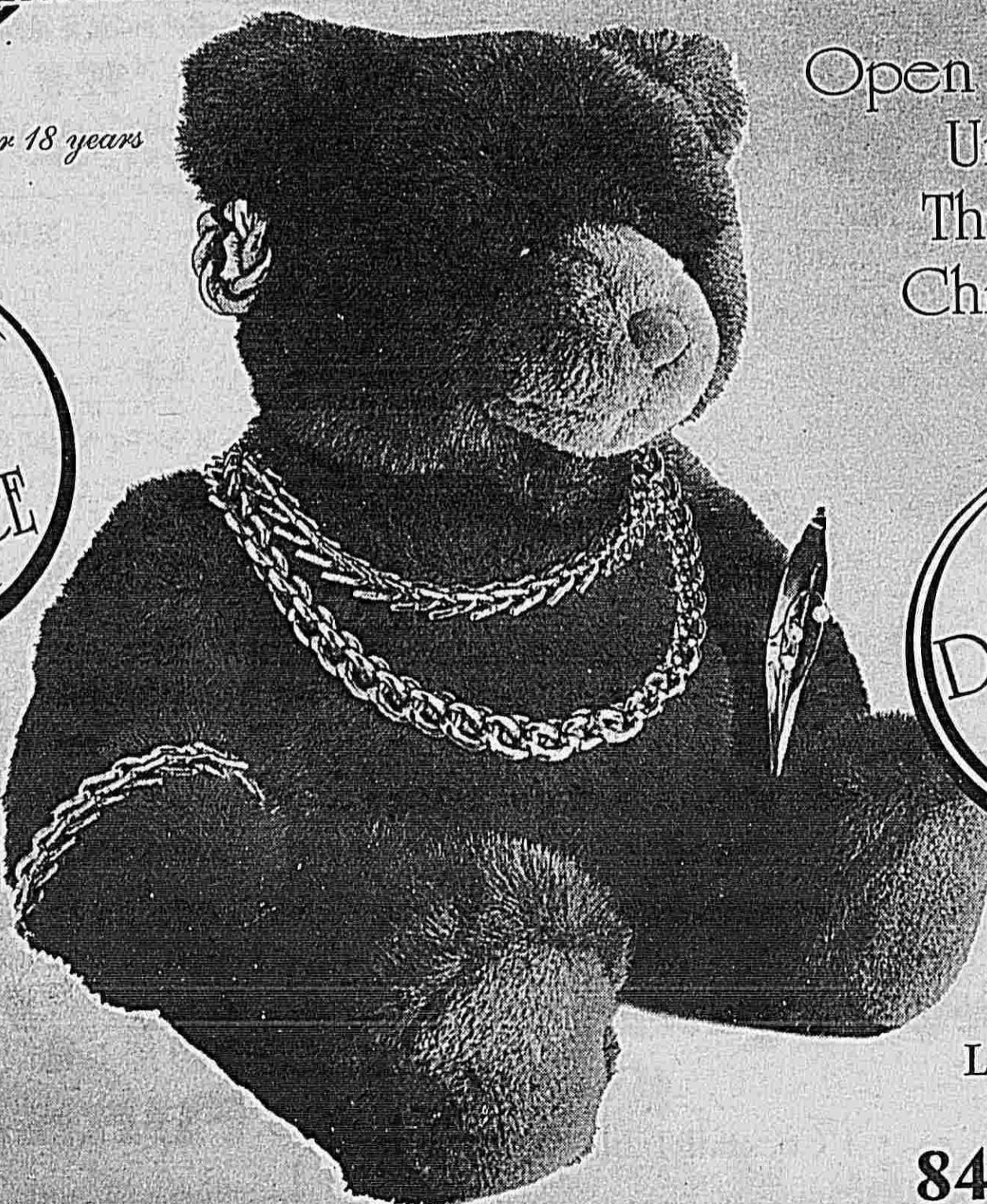
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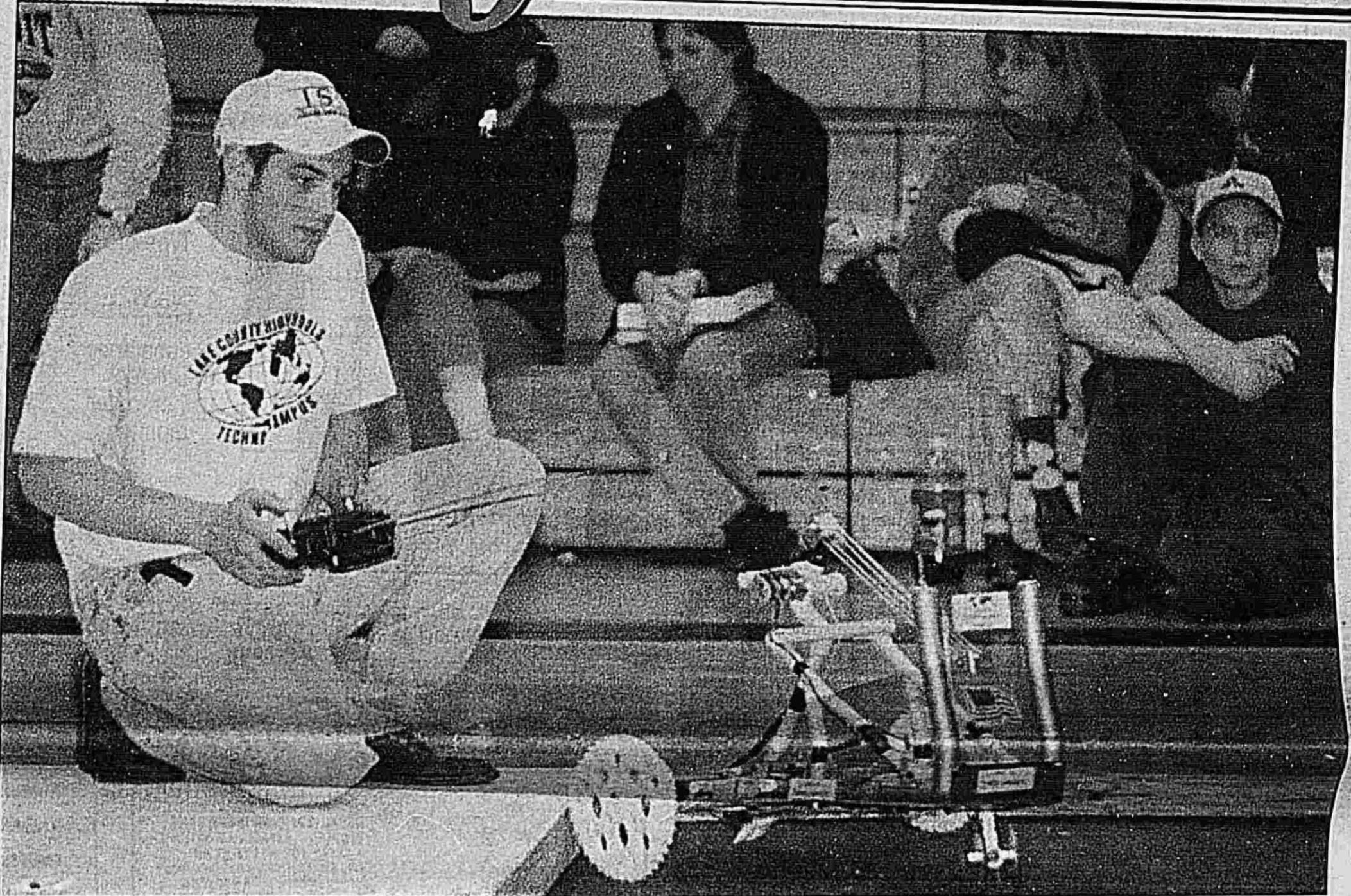
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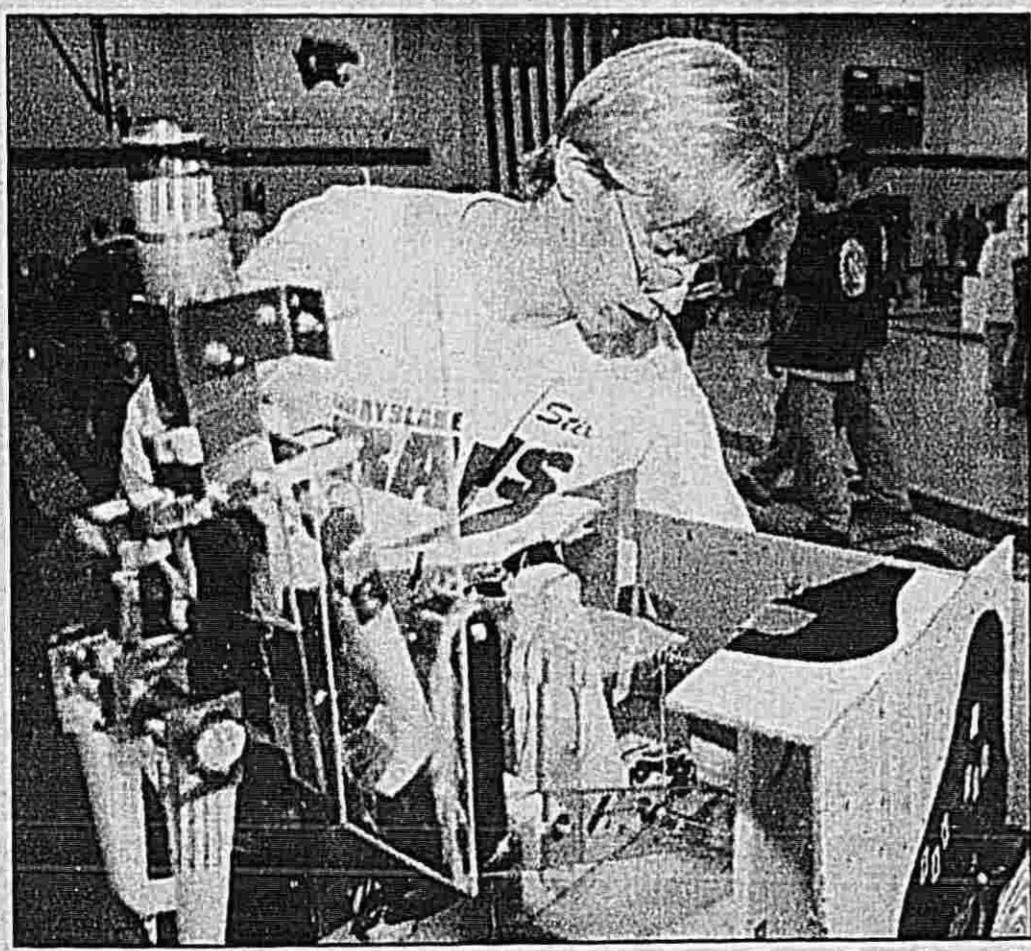
Dante Miller, a junior at Lake County's Technology Campus in Grayslake, works the controls in directing his team's robot in The "Dynamite Duel" 1997 Robot Competition. Antioch Community High School won the event hosted by at Round Lake High School Saturday. Round Lake was second. —Photo by Sandy Bressner



'It's the ultimate problem solving'

Battle of the minds

Antioch Dragon defeats Round Lake Master Blaster in student built robot competition



Grayslake Community High School junior Ryan Russell makes minor adjustments to his team's "Ram Cow" during the "Dynamite Duel" 1997 Robot Competition at Round Lake High School. —Photo by Sandy Bressner

By JASON J. KING
Staff Reporter

As the theme song from *Rocky* blared in the background, the Dragon trudged slowly up the ramp to victory.

As it dropped its last stick of dynamite in its bucket, the crowd went wild.

Is this some B-grade movie?

No, its an account of the final seconds of a unique competition held, Saturday.

The "Dynamite Duel" 1997 Robot Competition was held at Round Lake High School, and pitted students and machines from Lake County against each other in a friendly, but spirited competition.

Among the Lake County schools participating were: Lake Bluff Middle School, Antioch High School, Mundelein High School, Grayslake High School and Round Lake High School as well as the Lake County Technology Campus. Also on hand were students from Downers Grove South High School, Fremd High School and Northwood Middle

School.

The students' objective was to build a remote controlled "robot" which would then pick up pieces of "dynamite" outside of an "old mine" and place them into a bucket.

The dynamite sticks are pieces of 200 class PVC pipe, 12 inches in length. Some of the pieces of pipe are light, with nothing in them, others, are heavy, with around four ounces of loose pebbles inside.

The robots may weigh up to 25 pounds and have no more than four motors.

Interesting names like the Master Blaster, Ram Cow, the Dragon and the TC3 TriloBot, reflected the student's own personalities and the design and function of the robot.

The winning team was the team with the most amount of weight in their bucket.

The buckets for each team were stationed up a slight incline, and were set up like a scale, to indicate the team with the heaviest bucket.

The robots were controlled by a driver and a spotter, who were located at the corners of the field.

During the two-and-a-half

minute match, students may drive the robot anywhere except for on their opponents' platform. The robots may attempt to remove sticks from the other's bucket, may defend their own bucket or may block access to their opponents' bucket.

The robots may push or pull on the buckets during the match, but at the end of the game the buckets will be allowed to swing free, in order to determine the winner.

The matches, were fierce, with teams and the crowd alike cheering and yelling like the competition was a sporting event.

Joe Schramm, of Buffalo Grove, a team member for the Lake County Vocational Campus and a student at Stevenson High School, said the team's robot, the TC3 TriloBot, was a mélange of a number of different designs.

"Three groups from the campus worked together on it and came up with different ideas," Schramm said. "We mixed and matched everything that worked."

The TriloBot worked well, en-

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KID'S FARE

Children's Express: giving children a significant voice

Created in 1975, Children's Express (CE) is a national non-profit youth leadership organization that uses oral journalism to give children a significant voice in the world. Targeting audiences of all ages, CE produces news stories researched, reported and edited by CE reporters (age 9-13) and teen editors (age 14-18).

Headquartered in Washington, DC, CE operates news bureaus in New York City; Washington, DC; Indianapolis, Ind.; Marquette, Mich.; Oakland, Calif. and the newest, in Chicago, Ill.

CE at Chicago Children's Museum will serve as the organization's flagship electronic news bureau, where state-of-the-art technology is integrated in the brand-new communications gallery, Info-Tech Arcade.

CE's weekly column is syndicated to newspapers around the country, including 30 Newhouse syndicated newspapers. CE recently launched a new weekly feature, *Teen Express*.

CE received the 1994 Casey Medal for Meritorious Journalism for its radio production "Homeless Teens Discuss Life on the Streets," broadcast on National Public Radio. CE was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize in 1982 and received George Foster Peabody and Emmy Awards for coverage on National Public Radio, "The Diane Rehm Show," and other radio shows.

Visit Children's Express at Chicago Children's Museum, Navy Pier,

700 East Grand, Chicago, IL or call for more information at (312) 464-7723.

Magic of Nutcracker

The Magic of the Nutcracker will be presented by Dancenter North at Libertyville High School's Butler Auditorium on the following dates: Saturday, Dec. 20, 2 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 21, 1 and 5 p.m. Ticket prices range from \$9 to \$18 with a discount for students and seniors and groups of 15 or more. Tickets go on sale Sunday, Oct. 19 at 1 p.m. at Dancenter North offices, 540 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville. For more information or ticket order forms, call 367-7970.

Entertainment during the holidays

With the holiday season rapidly approaching, parents may be looking for some healthy entertainment for their children during their Christmas break. This holiday season, there is a new alternative that will provide fun and fitness for kids aged 8 to 14. Cory Everson's Aerobics and Fitness for Women in Grayslake is offering "Kid's Aerobics" for boys and girls.

Membership with Cory Everson Club is not mandatory for participating. The program will include aerobics for children using step benches, jump ropes, and hula hoops, muscle workouts with Dynabands, power play games, karate and boxing for kids, great music and illustrated handouts.

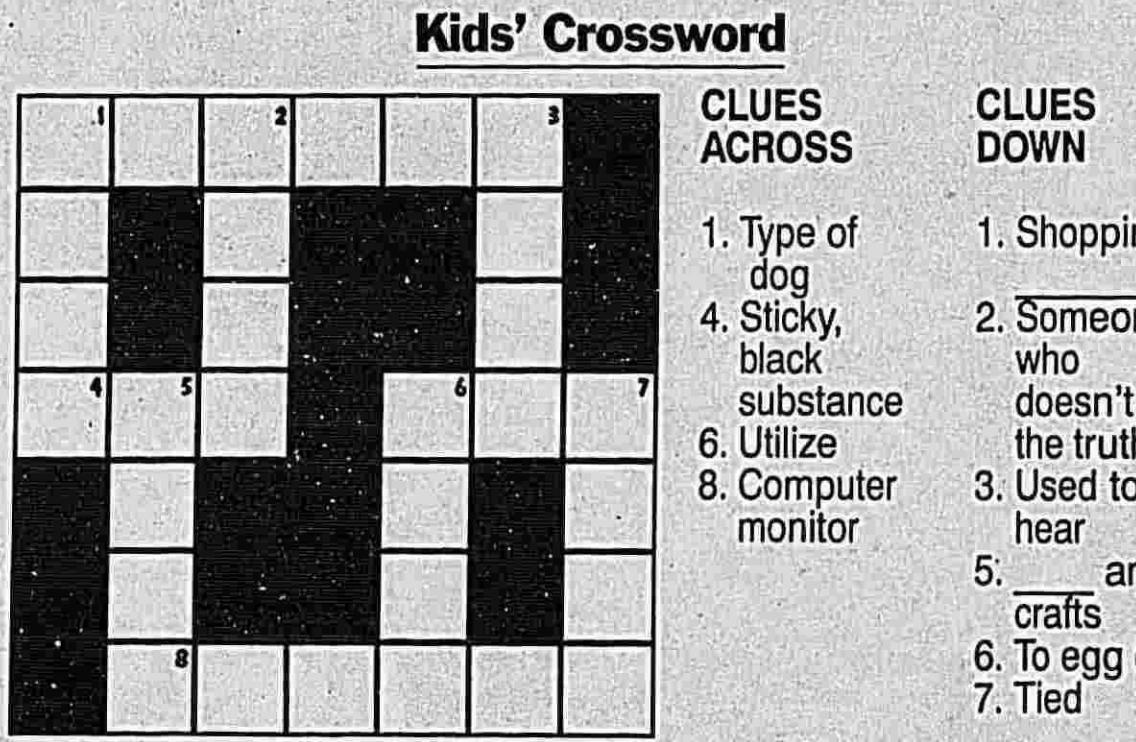
"We are really excited about being able to offer this program to kids in the area," said Mary Albrecht, aerobics and fitness director at Cory Everson's. "There is a real need in our community to help children understand the importance of fitness in their lives. This gives them the opportunity to get fit while having a lot

of fun at the same time."

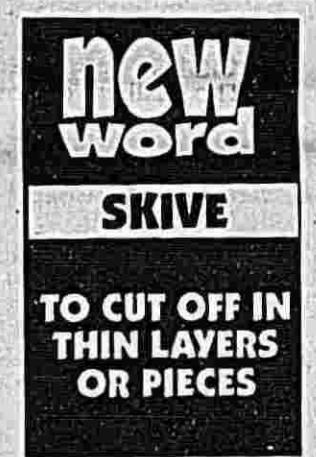
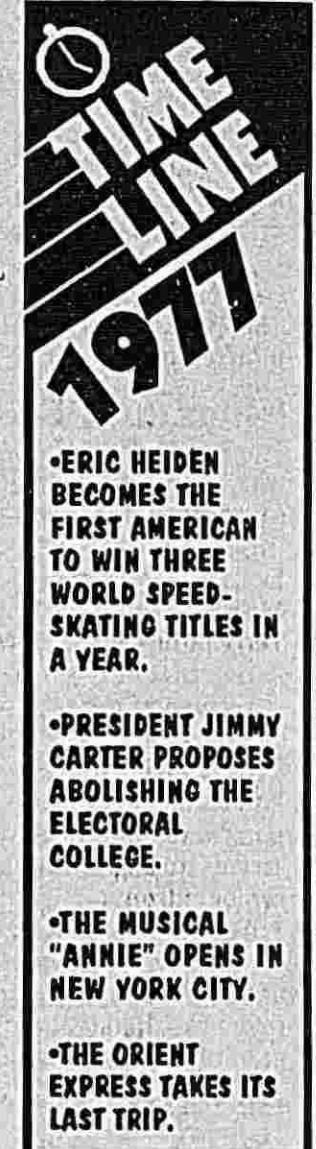
Classes are being offered Mondays, Tuesdays and Saturdays beginning Dec. 22 and ending on Jan. 3. Times are 2 to 3 p.m. for ages 8 through 11, and 3 to 4 p.m. for ages 12 to 14. Children of members of the Cory Everson Club will be charged \$5 per child per class, while children

of non-members will be charged \$7 per child per class.

Information and registration can be obtained by calling Cory Everson's Aerobics and Fitness for Women at 548-CORY (2679), or visit them at 100 S. Atkinson Rd., Grayslake (across from Piggly Wiggly). Classes are limited in size.

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Down 1. Collie 4. Tar 5. Arts 6. Use 8. Screen



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Aries - March 21/April 20

You're on a mission early in the week, Aries. Your determination is strong — you're going to get everything done. Those around you are impressed by your efforts. A close friend turns to you for financial advice. Don't get in over your head. If you don't know something, don't act like an authority on the subject. Cancer plays a key role.

Taurus - April 21/May 21

It's hard for you to control your temper this week. Everyone seems to be working against you, and you just want to scream. Remain calm, and stay focused on the tasks at hand. This is the only way you'll get anything done. That special someone has a question for you. Don't get nervous; it's not what you think.

Gemini - May 22/June 21

Things get a little crazy during the middle of the week, Gemini. There are so many things to do and so many people to talk to that you just don't know where to turn. Don't get worried. Just try to do one thing at a time. It's the best thing to do when you're in this type of situation. A friend needs your help. Do what you can.

Cancer - June 22/July 22

You've got the golden touch, Cancer. Everything that you do this week seems to be profitable. You meet an interesting person who is willing to invest in one of your ideas. Take him or her up on the offer. Your romantic life is in full swing. That special someone lavishes a lot

of attention on you. Enjoy it!

Leo - July 23/August 23

You're in control this week, Leo. Co-workers, friends and family members are turning to you for advice. Help all those whom you can. However, don't let all of this attention go to your head. You meet an intriguing person while running errands. Don't get cocky; just be yourself. Pisces plays a key role.

Virgo - Aug 24/Sept 22

Your dependable nature wins you praise from business associates early in the week. You get things done, and they appreciate your efforts. A big windfall is on the way. A close friend tells you something that shocks you. Try not to get upset. Remember, he or she told you because you can be trusted. Don't let him or her down.

Libra - Sept 23/Oct 23

You're swamped with work this week, Libra, and you need to get it all done by Friday. Don't get discouraged. While you'll have to rearrange your personal plans, your efforts will be rewarded. The person you've had your eye on for so long finally makes a move. Don't be shy; now's your chance to shine.

Scorpio - Oct 24/Nov 22

You learn some upsetting news about a loved one late in the week, Scorpio. However, don't automatically get upset. Investigate; find out if what you've heard is really true before reacting. A friend needs your help with a family problem. Be supportive. Taurus

and Aries play important roles.

Sagittarius - Nov 23/Dec 21

You really stick your foot in your mouth at an inopportune time early in the week. Don't try to cover it up. Admit your mistake, and move on. It's the best way to handle the situation. A loved one reveals a secret to you. Give him or her your heartfelt advice, and say what's really on your mind.

Capricorn - Dec 22/Jan 20

Even though you're not one to take direction, you're going to have to this week. You'll be able to handle it if you realize that you don't know enough about the problem to take control. Don't worry; no one thinks any less of you. That special someone sends you a present. Look for the hidden meaning.

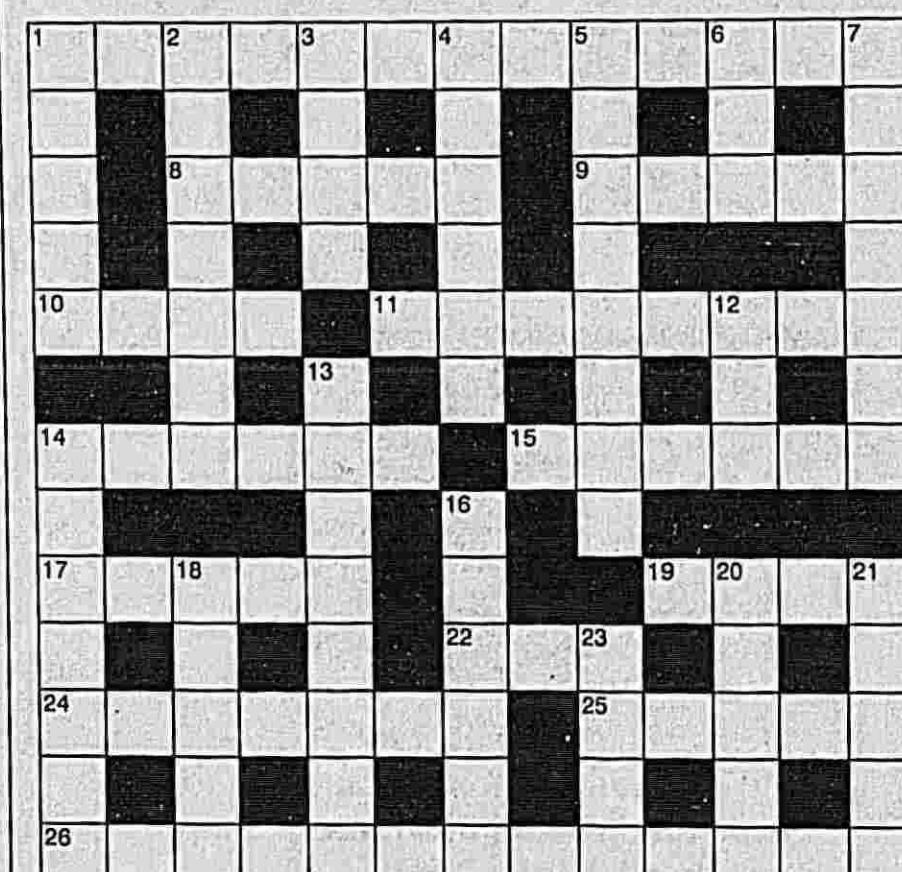
Aquarius - Jan 21/Febr 18

You're on your own early in the week, Aquarius, and you're loving it. No one is telling you what to do. You can go where you want to go and do what you want to do. Enjoy it while you can, because others will need your help at the week's end. Sagittarius plays an important role on Thursday.

Pisces - Feb 19/March 20

You're in the spotlight this week, Pisces. Friends and loved ones are proud of the accomplishments you've made recently and want to celebrate with you. Don't be embarrassed. You deserve it. An acquaintance wants to intensify your relationship. Think about what you really want before saying yes.

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Clues ACROSS

1. Victim of ridicule or pranks
8. Greek letter
9. Strong rope
10. Arab king
11. Give up
14. Communicator
15. Bites
17. Lower in esteem
19. Pouches
24. Verdi, for one
25. Spiritual leader
26. Birthplace

Clues DOWN

2. Bodies of water
3. Idealistic social reformer
4. Change
5. Segments
6. Shape into a
7. Sphere
12. Basics
13. Spirituality
14. Bowl
16. Acoustic
18. Change
20. Superior
21. Glistening
23. Wife (German)

answers:

1. Laughing
2. Upset
3. Head
4. Nearby
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8. Omega
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'The Mill on the Floss'

Vitalist Theatre presents at The Blue Rider, the London edition of The Mill on the Floss, adapted by Helen Edmundson from the novel by George Eliot. The production is directed by Elizabeth Carlin Metz and will run through Dec. 21 at The Blue Rider Theatre, 1822 S. Halsted, Chicago. Tickets are \$14, group rates available. For reservations or more information, call (312) 409-3970.

'Chocolate Factory'

The Northbrook Theatre's Children's Company presents the musical "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" Dec. 20 and 21 at 1 and 4 p.m. This award-winning company consisting of students from 6th to 10th grades specializes in "theatre by youth, for youth." All seats are reserved and priced at \$5 in advance or \$6 at the door. The Northbrook Theatre is located at 3323 Walters Ave. in Northbrook. Call 291-2367 for tickets and more information.

'Guys and Dolls'

The classic musical fable of broadway, "Guys and Dolls," will appear at Marriott's Lincolnshire Theatre now through Jan. 18, 1998. "Guys and Dolls" will be directed by Dominic Missimi, with musical direction by Terry James and choreography by Kenny Ingram.

The performance schedule is: Wednesday at 2 and 8 p.m.; Thursdays (which includes a steak dinner) and Fridays at 8 p.m.; Saturdays at 5 and 8:30 p.m.; and Sundays at 2:30 and 7 p.m. Tickets to all performances are \$33, senior citizens and students receive a \$10 discount off the regular ticket price for Wednesday at 2 and 8 p.m., and Sunday at 2:30 and 7 p.m. performances. Children under age 6 are not admitted. For tickets call, 634-0200.

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Romantic couples, social groups, and families looking for a completely unique way to ring in the new year, look no further! Medieval Times Dinner and Tournament, Chicagoland's largest and longest-running dinner-theater attraction, will once again offer something for everyone, with our two special performances on New Year's Eve. Back by popular demand are the Schaumburg Castle's all ages show at 6 p.m., followed by the romantic "New Year's Spectacular" at 9 p.m.

Both the family matinee and the romance special will include Medieval Times' new show, which features pyrotechnics, state-of-the-art sound and lighting, and an improved story.

For those looking to ring in the new year with spectacular pomp and pageantry, the 9 p.m. gala includes pre-show hors d'oeuvres and champagne, Medieval Times' hands-on four-course feast, two rounds of soda, and a post-show cele-

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bration, comprised of an incredible light show, party favors, a champagne toast at midnight, and dancing on a recently-expanded arena dance floor! All of the festivities will unfold within the walls of Medieval Times' 85,000 square foot, climate-controlled, European-style castle.

Even greater news! King Alfonso's tax bailiff has held last year's prices for these special performances.

The admission price for the 6 p.m. show remains \$38.50 for adults and \$25.35 for children (12 and under). The 9 p.m. spectacular is priced at only \$59.95 for all seats (with a \$5 discount on tickets purchased at the castle before Dec. 30). Prices do not include tax or gratuity, and discount coupons will not be honored on New Year's Eve.

Medieval Times is located at the intersection of I-90 (the Northwest Tollway) and Roselle Road in Schaumburg. For reservations and more information, call 843-3900.

Hospital is encouraging area artists to apply for participation in the 24th annual Juried and Invited Exhibition, "Art in the Barn 1998," scheduled for Sept. 26 and 27, 1998. All proceeds go to the hospital. To obtain an entry form, write to: Good Shepherd Hospital, 450 West Highway 22, Art in the Barn, 1998, Barrington, Illinois 60010, Attn: Artists Committee. For more information, call 381-0123. Deadline is April 1, 1998.

Toshio Shibata

Toshio Shibata, the Japanese photographer known internationally for his large-format prints of landscapes, has a solo exhibition at the Museum of Contemporary Art, 220 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago, running through Jan. 4, 1998. A museum-sponsored artist's residency in the western United States provided the Tokyo-based photographer with the resources to produce a new body of work: his first series depicting the American landscape. The 25 black-and-white photographs, depicting dams, ditches and reservoirs

that seem at odds with nature in their attempt to control such powerful forces as rivers and landslides, have been accessioned into the museum's permanent collection. For more information, call (312) 280-2660.

Visions of Sugarplums

"Visions of Sugarplums: An Annual Holiday Exhibit and Sale of Fine Art Tree Decor," presented by the Old Court House Arts Center, Woodstock, Illinois, runs through December and spotlights the best of fine art Christmas tree ornaments created by visual artists of all media. The exhibit is at the Gallery of the Arts Center on the historic Woodstock Square. For more information, call (815) 338-4525.

Arts/Crafts fair set

The Conventual Franciscan Friars of Marytown will be hosting a Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair in their new Retreat & Conference Center on Saturday, Dec. 13 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. A large variety of items for gift giv-

ing or for Christmas decorating will be available. Lunch is available for \$5 from 12 to 2 p.m. Free admission. For more information, call Marytown at 367-7800.

Miniature art shown

The Suburban Fine Arts Center's "One of a Kind" small objects exhibit runs through Dec. 30. The show features objects no higher than 12 inches and is juried by Joy Horwitz, owner of the Joy Horwitz Gallery in Chicago. The "One of a Kind" exhibit appears at the Suburban Fine Arts Center, 1913 Sheridan Rd., Highland Park. For more information, call 432-1888.

MUSIC

Holiday concert

Sounds of Blackness returns to Orchestra Hall, 220 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, for two holiday concerts entitled "The Night Before Christmas—A Musical Fantasy: The

Concert," on Friday, Dec. 26 and Saturday, Dec. 27 at 8 p.m. The Grammy Award-winning African-American ensemble will perform a selection of holiday tunes infused with their own unique blend of African work songs, spirituals, gospel, blues and updated rhythm and blues. Tickets are \$15-\$37; box seats \$60. For tickets or other information, call (312) 294-3000.

Hanukkah Festival

Share a morning of family fun at Northwest Suburban Jewish Community Center, 1250 Radcliffe Rd., Buffalo Grove, featuring Rick Mann, Z. Frank Apache music leader and cantorial soloist at Congregation Shir Shalom, on Sunday, Dec. 21 from 10:30 a.m. to noon. A Maccabee Fun Course is also offered to make gifts and decorations to take home. A special Hannukah treat will be available. Pre-registration is recommended. Fee is adults, \$3 for members, \$5 for non-members; children \$5 for members, \$7 for non-members. Call Abby Ashkenazi at 392-7411 for more information.

Do-It-Yourself Messiah

The 22nd Annual Do-It-Yourself Messiah is LaSalle National Corporation's holiday gift to Chicagoland. George Frideric Handel's 18th Century choral masterpiece for soloists, orchestra and choir is performed in a concert atmosphere with a Chicago audience providing the choir on Saturday, Dec. 20 at 3 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 21 at 7:30 p.m. at Orchestra Hall, 220 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago. The soloists are professionals, the orchestra members volunteer their time and talents and the choir is the audience. As many as 4,000 voices unite under world-renowned conductor Stanley Sperber. For ticket information, call (773) 776-4300.

Little Red Riding Hood

The Barrington Chapter of Lyric Opera of Chicago will present Little Red Riding Hood at 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 20 in Barrington High School's Richard C. Johnson

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Happy Holidays!

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Wednesday, December 24th:

- 1:15p — The Little Christmas Tree (Sponsored by Taylor Rental)
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- 2p — Christmas on Walton Mountain (Sponsored by Balmes Flower Shop)
- 2:30p — Dicken's Christmas Carol (Sponsored by North Shore Trust&Savings)
- 3p — Christmas with Johnny Cash (Sponsored by Nu Diamond Glass)
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Thursday, December 25th:

- 9a — Lullaby of Christmas
- 9:30a — Bing Crosby Christmas Story
- 10:05a — Gift of the Magi
- 10:30a — Christmas Around the World
- 11a — Song of Christmas
- 11:30 — Nutcracker Prince
- 12:10p — Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer (Sponsored by Sammies)
- 12:30p — Rudolph's Second Christmas (Sponsored by Sammies)
- 1p — Mr. Pickwick's Christmas
- 1:30p — Story of Christmas with Ernie Ford
- 2p — A Christmas Rose
- 2:30p — Handels Messiah
- 3:30p — Christmas Story American Frontier
- 4p — The Holy Night with Loren Greene



Auditorium. With music by Seymour Barab, this Papai Players' production is a one hour humorous adaptation of the opera and guaranteed to delight children of all ages. Tickets are \$5 per person, \$6 at the door. Call 304-2767 to reserve tickets.

Ramsey Lewis appears

Grammy Award winner Ramsey Lewis will play his "Home For The Holidays" concert series at the Executive Plaza Hotel, 71 East Wacker Drive, Chicago, beginning Dec. 26 and concluding with a pair of shows on New Year's Eve at 8 and 10 p.m. Lewis will perform in the Cloud 39 Penthouse atop the Executive Plaza overlooking the Chicago River and Michigan Ave. For more information, call (800) 621-4005.

Music competition

The North Suburban Symphony of Lake Forest is accepting requests for applicants for the 1998 Young Artists Music Competition. Instrumental, keyboard, and vocal students of high school age may apply. Inquiries should be made to James R. Glacking, at 362-0472.

Finalists will perform in a competition concert May 8, 1998, in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, Maple and Douglas Avenues, in Libertyville.

Opera in Focus

During the month of December, Opera In Focus will present Hansel & Gretel, a complete opera in English, on Dec. 20, Dec. 21, and Jan. 3, 1998. Selections from La Boheme and a special Christmas offering of "Sweet Li'l

SPECIAL EVENTS

Long Grove offers Christmas events

Long Grove's Countryside Christmas offers fun holiday events for the whole family. Lunch with Santa at The Village Tavern on Dec. 22 and Dec. 23, with seatings of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Costumed characters, magic, and balloonery is featured. Reservations required. The Country Attic offers a Basket Weaving Demonstration on Dec. 19 and Seasons of Long Grove has Nutcracker Afternoon Teas through Dec. 30 from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Also at Seasons, Traditional Dickens Dinners take place on Dec. 22 and Dec. 23, at 8:30 p.m. (reservations required). For more information and a full schedule of activities, call 835-4990.

Christmas County Fair begins

The outdoor summer county fair moves indoors! Stay warm and cozy inside while enjoying fair rides, games, entertainment and food at Navy Pier. Celebrate New Year's Eve at this alcohol-free zone from 8 p.m. to midnight. Adult admission is \$13, \$11 for children, and \$9 for seniors. Children 4 and under are free. New Year's Eve is \$25 per person, which includes rides, food and beverage tickets. Opens daily at 11 a.m. and runs to January 4, 1998. For more information, call (312) 595-5032.

Am Echod offers services and more

Congregation Am Echod, serving the Jewish community in northern and northwest Lake County since 1896, holds its Sabbath services at 7:30 p.m. on Friday and 9 a.m. on Saturday.

Adult education and Sunday school for children are held from 10 a.m. until noon on Sunday. Hebrew school classes are on Tuesday and Thursday from 4 to 6 p.m.

Exciting bingo games are at 7 p.m. Monday with the doors opening at 3:30 p.m.

Am Echod is located at 1500 Sunset Avenue on Waukegan's north side. For more information, call the synagogue at 336-9110.

Time for winter art classes

Register now for Winter '97 art classes at the Suburban Fine Arts Center in downtown Highland Park. Chase the winter doldrums with some of the center's new offers held on its expanded second floor.

Classes for children and adults range from ceramics to jewelry making, sculpture in stone and clay, drawing, painting, and printmaking. Try Portraiture or Performance Art, even Tai Chi. Day, evening, weekend and custom classes are all available.

SFAC also runs one-day, two-day and weekend workshops. For more information, call 432-1888.

Winter Festival kicks off

Fun, festivities and fireworks at the Round Lake Area Park District Winter Festival will be Saturday, Dec. 20 from 2 to 5 p.m. The fantastic fireworks display will take place at Harts Hill. The indoor and outdoor family activities will take place from 2 to 5 p.m., including ice sculpting, ice skating, professional dog sleds, winter walk, golf chipping game, miniature golf, bingo, holiday ornaments, bonfire, storyteller, roasted chestnuts and more. Plus, the children won't want to miss the hayride to visit Santa at his Enchanted Cottage.

Participants are urged to bring a donation of a canned food to receive a free cup of hot chocolate. For more information, contact the Round Lake Area Park District at 546-8558.

Combined Singles dance

All singles are invited to a Combined Club singles dance at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 20 at the Sheraton Gateway Suites O'Hare, 6501 North Mannheim Road, Rosemont. DJ music will be provided. Admission is \$6. The event is co-sponsored by the Northwest Singles Association, Young Suburban Singles, and Singles & Company. For more information, call 209-2066.

New Year's dance set

The Midwest Singles Association, Aware Singles, Attachments, and Chicagoland Singles will sponsor a New Year's Eve Super Singles Dance on Dec. 31 at Chandler's at the Schaumburg Golf Club, 401 N. Roselle Road (between Higgins and Schaumburg Roads), Schaumburg. DJ music will be provided, along with hats, favors and noisemakers. Admission is \$20. Reservations not needed. Over 600 singles are expected. For more information, call 509-5000.

DANCE

Ballroom dancing set

Richard Burnett will lead Open Dances at Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Road, Lake Forest, one Friday night each month. The next dance is scheduled for Dec. 19, from 8-11:30 p.m. Cost is \$10 per person, and a half-hour lesson will introduce each dancer.

Richard Burnett is owner of Burnett's Ballroom and Performing Arts Center in Villa Park. For more information, call 234-6060.

Zodiacances

The College of Lake County's Prairie Spirits Dance Theatre will present its new program "Zodiacances" at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 19 and 20 in the Studio Theatre of the Performing Arts Building on the Grayslake campus. "Zodiacances" will present an eclectic array of dances exemplifying the themes and myths associated with the Zodiac that has inspired artists, composers, and writers throughout the centuries. The production has been designed to experience the magic and mystery of the winter solstice through word, sound, song and movement. Tickets are \$5 general admission and \$4 for CLC students, alumni and senior citizens. The program is free for 10 and under. The concert is directed by Leslie Hopkins, a CLC philosophy instructor and the founder of Prairie Spirits. The multicultural group consists of students, adults and children ranging in age from 8 to 50. For tickets, call the box office at 543-2678 or 543-2300.

"Jesus Boy," "Oh Tannenbaum," and "Oh Holy Night" will be Dec. 27 and 28. Performance times are Wednesdays and Saturdays, 1:30 p.m. and Saturdays at 8 p.m. Opera In Focus is located at Park Central, 3000 Central Road, Rolling Meadows. Tickets are adults \$9, children \$6, and seniors \$8. For more information, call 818-3220.

SINGLES

Dances for singles set

A singles Super Dance with a live band is set for Dec. 19 from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Nordic Hills Resort, 1/2 mile west of 1355, 3/4 mile north of Lake St., in Itasca. Admission is \$8. For more information, call 604-2400.

Dance at The Pointe

A dance is set for singles on Dec. 21 from 7 to 11:30 p.m. at The Point, Bloomingdale & Schick Rds. (2 blocks south of Lake St.), in Bloomingdale. There will be a DJ and free buffet. Admission is \$6. Call 604-2400 for more information.



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There's nothing funny about drugs

If you're a member of this Baby Boomer generation as I am, you know who musician/singer/composer Neil Young is and are probably familiar with these words from his song, "The Needle and the Damage Done":

"... And every junkie's like the setting sun . . ."

For those of us who have watched a member of our family be consumed by drug addiction, the words of that song ring sadly true. And now the sun has set for one very dear to my heart - my "baby" brother. His name was Frank Noller and he was 39-years-old last week when he died of a drug overdose. His body was found, alone, in a seedy hotel room in San Francisco.

There is, of course, nothing funny about the loss of my brother. He and I had a special bond, and I will miss him terribly. But if by telling his story I can reach even one young person out there who may be headed in the same direction, his death won't seem so pointless.

Frank began experimenting with drugs as young as 12-years-old, eventually becoming a high school dropout and drifting into a "career" as a thief. I'm sure there are still one or two policemen at the Fox Lake police station who will find his name very familiar. By the time he reached his early 20s, he had already been in and out of prison, and had graduated to injecting cocaine intravenously. From that point on, his "life" was set in an all too familiar pattern - theft, drugs, prison, theft, drugs, prison, etc., etc. He overdosed several times, nearly died



LIFE'S A BEAR

Donna Abear

from a staph infection caused by a dirty needle, and eventually contracted AIDS about five years ago, coming close to death again in prison in 1996 from AIDS-related pneumonia.

Despite all that (or maybe because of it), Frank and I were very close. For the last 14 years, I have played Wendy to my brother's Peter Pan. Each time he would be released from prison, he would come to stay with me. Each time I would try to point him in the right direction. But it was always in vain - Peter Pan didn't really want to grow up, and eventually he would fly back to Never Never Land.

He didn't own a home, or property, and nearly all of his "possessions" are packed in a single box in my garage. Perhaps his only real accomplishment was the handsome and intelligent son he has left behind - my nephew Eric - who with the help of his mother, Belinda, has emerged with his heart a little dented but not broken. He plans to sign up this week at Devry Technical Institute, hoping to build a career in the field of computers. Eric has a future - something his father never considered.

It might have been easier for those of us who loved Frank (and surprisingly, there were many) if he had

been unlikable. But despite his flaws, he was charming, gentle and mischievously funny. Like a child, he didn't want to hurt anyone, never managing to understand how deeply and painfully his actions affected us all.

And like some children do, he thrived on negative attention. I once wrote him a song detailing my disappointment with the kind of life he had chosen, and instead of making him sad, he was flattered that I had written it (just as he would be to read these words today). He proudly showed it to everyone, even singing it in a contest at a prison picnic. Here's a piece of that song:

*Brother, can I talk to you?
I thought this time you were through;
That things would be different
You'd start your life anew
But here we sit with iron bars
And concrete that surrounds
Why do you always choose the road
To nowhere - goin' down
Nowhere, goin' down
Years that can't be found
Life the "easy way"*

Oh, what a price you pay

So many of us - his parents, his siblings, his friends, his son - tried to reach him. Yet, Frank could never hear the seriousness of our words because he preferred to see life as one endless party. "Rock me, baby!" was his favorite expression.

But like other junkies before him, drug abuse turned my brother's life into a lonely party for one. And now the "party" is over.

Questions or comments for Humorist Donna Abear can be sent to Lakeland Newspapers, 30 S. Whitney St., Grayslake, IL 60030.

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Drop-in bridge continues at Gorton

Bridge instructor Ginny Schuett will continue leading drop-in bridge

sessions, "Bridge Plus," at Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest. The sessions are held on one Wednesday of each month. Players can practice bridge, have fun and earn masterpoints. Come alone, with a partner, or a foursome. A 15-minute lesson will be given before actual play begins at 1 p.m. No advance registration is required, fee is \$4 per person. For the next drop-in bridge date, or for more information, call the Gorton office at 234-6060 before 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., weekdays.

Women's Club offers activities

Those new to the area or interested in meeting others with similar interests are invited to join the Lake County Women's Club. The club offers members morning coffees, bridge, golf, bowling, couple's socials, lunch outings, needle craft, and about group, theater, antiquing, ethnic dining, book club and more. Call Peg at 356-1512 or Sue at 872-2016 for more information.

Parent Group meets

The Parent Group offers support and education groups for parents of teenagers as well as younger children. The Parent Group meets in Zion, Gurnee, Waukegan, Grayslake and Lake Villa. All groups are professionally led and offer no-cost child care during meets. For more information on the next meeting date, call Amy Hudson at 263-7272.

Community group for disabled meets

For those who are disabled and are looking for a group of people to discuss new ideas, old experiences, future advocacy possibilities, or just emotional support, the Community and Self Awareness for People with Disabilities group is there. The group meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Lake County Center for Independent Living, 706 E. Hawley St., Mundelein. For more information, call Sheila at 949-4440.

MOVIE PICK

Second 'scream-along' is another winner

Seldom is a movie sequel worthwhile flick fare, but in the case of "Scream 2" Director Wes Craven has an even greater time poking fun at teenage horror movies than he did the successful first time around.

Two of TV's top stars, Neve Campbell of "Party of Five," and "Friend's" Courtney Cox have a second screaming good time as, a few years older, but obviously none the wiser, they wade through the pretty bodies laid waste by a nutty killer or two.

Just as "Scream" mastered pulling the leg of horror movies, "Scream 2" yanks the chain of sequels.

The second time around, the killer, or killers, tend to slop around in more blood wearing the same chilling screaming ghost mask used in the first movie.

The jokes continue, as a deputy stabbed in the back walks with a limp, all topped by the casting of Aaron Spelling's "90210" kid, Tory, in a movie about the first set of scary demises.

Although the college kids in "Scream 2" are just as dumb as their high school predecessors, most of the actors have class befitting of thespians who should have grown wiser with age, especially since they all seem to be experts on how to avoid being killed in a horror movie.

Shades of Jamie Lee Curtis, this movie takes on all dead comers and it might garner enough sequels to knock "Halloween" off its horror throne. We hear the success of Craven's two noisy flicks has drawn Ms. Curtis back to the chill screen.

Other "Scream" vets Leiv Schreiber, David Arquette, and Jamie Kennedy are around when a movie based on "Scream," called fittingly "Stab," opens in their Ohio college town and the bodies start mounting.

Because of its wit, interesting plot turnabouts, and all around good time had by all, we give this "R" rated movie four out of five stars. Too bad the largest audience it will draw will probably be considered too young to see it by movie rating standards.—By Gloria Davis



Neve Campbell and Courtney Cox take a break from their popular television roles to star on the big screen in "Scream 2." The movie is a sequel to the successful spoof of teen horror flicks "Scream," both directed by "Nightmare on Elm Street's" Wes Craven.

'Christmas Memory' presented by PM&L

PM&L's Readers' Theatre will present an evening of Christmas readings on Friday, Dec. 19, 8 p.m., at the PM&L Theatre, 877 Main St., Antioch.

"A Christmas Memory" by

Truman Capote and "The Gift of the Magi" by O Henry, directed by Tom Hausman from Antioch, are the selections. Admission is free, and refreshments will be served.

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Kid's nightmares can mean something...or not!

Dear Dr. Singer,
Our 7-year-old daughter has been having nightmares lately and we wondered if this might be indicating a problem? We are concerned that something bad might be happening to her in her life and she is not telling us. We've tried to talk to her about it but we aren't getting anywhere. It's gotten to the point that she is afraid to go to sleep at night. We are very concerned. Should we wait and see if it passes or should we get some help now? T.G.

Dear T.G.,
While I can give you some general information here in this column, I think that it's important that you realize that without my having a history and other knowledge of



PARENT'S PLACE

Sherri Singer,
Psy.D.

this child and your family, it is unethical of me to give you direct advice unless you want to come in and see me. I will say, however, that the best place you can find that answer is in your own gut. If you are feeling that it is out of control or something scary might be going on in her life to cause these nightmares, it would probably be much better for all of your collective "peace of mind's" if you took her in for a couple sessions to see someone about this problem. From your call, it sounds like you are very concerned so probably best to get her in for help now.

Nightmares are strange things. They can be directly related to something going on in life and then again, they don't have to be. Anyone who has ever had one, can tell you that they are very terrifying and can get in the way of healthy sleep. I've spoken with many children who superstitiously feel that if they talk about what was in the nightmare, it may come true. So, they keep their mouths shut and suffer alone with the thoughts. You might try to make sure that she understands that nightmares are just in her mind and that talking about it won't make it happen. Help her to feel safe so she can open up.

There is also the possibility that something is happening in her life that scares her. It can be routine change (sometimes routine change can be the scariest) or something out of the ordinary that has either made her uncomfortable or terrified

her. Either way, it's worthwhile to check it out.

There is also the possibility that she has seen one too many scary movies or someone at school has told her about something scary. I can remember being 8-years-old and having one of our neighbor's rotten friends tell me about the "legend of Mary Worth." This was the favorite story of teenagers at that time. The one about the woman who supposedly got struck by lightning and if you said her name enough times at a slumber party, she would appear. During the sleep-over I was at one night, I was told this story, and after that, it almost took a search party and a crowbar to pry me out of my sleeping bag. I had nightmares for weeks just from that one story. Sometimes, at that age, it is difficult for children to separate between fantasy and reality. The terror from that can be very real.

Whatever this is from, I think it is important to find out and get it out in the open so that it can be talked about and resolved so this little one can get some good sleep. Like I said, it may be worthwhile to involve professional help. If you need further help with this, please call me and we can set up a consult about it.

This column is for entertainment purposes only. Information in this column cannot and should not replace proper Psychological treatment. If you have any concerns or questions, be sure to contact a reputable therapist. Dr. Sherri Singer is a Licensed Clinical Psychologist, childhood behavior specialist and author of the book, "Why Time Out Doesn't Work." Call in your questions and comments: (630) 415-0974. For an appointment, call (708) 962-2549.

Last minute decorating tips

Do you believe there are only six days until Christmas? I don't know where the time went this year, it seems we were just eating turkey on Thanksgiving. Well, if you are anything like me, you are still decorating the house, first wrapping gifts, baking etc. I have a few tips for sprucing the house up in a jiffy for your Christmas dinner or get together with family and friends.

Grab your pruning shears and let's take a walk out in the backyard. Snip off some interesting looking branches from your shrubbery, also do not forget the evergreens. I saved the branches from the Christmas tree, (my husband had to cut quite a bit off, to make it fit into the stand.) Once inside, take and spray paint the branches, open up a window—those fumes could make you woozy, I used a bronzy gold color and white, for a nice sparkle, you can sprinkle some gold and silver glitter on the paint before it dries. It will add a festive touch to your branches. You can make an arrangement for the table with these and the evergreen boughs that will be very elegant. Any container will do, a basket, perhaps you have a beautiful vase you use for cut flowers. Even a



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small (six inch) poinsettia can be your anchor.

Arrange the branches with the evergreens in your container, add a silver, red, green or gold ribbon and you're done. You can also use the mas to your favorite candlestick holders. Simply form the evergreens in a circle, use a twist tie to hold them in place, and slip over the base of the candlestick, add a satin bow—instant decoration.

I also take fir boughs, drape them over my curtain rods in the kitchen and front room to add a festive look. Evergreen branches or the painted ones anchored in your

house plants is another neat trick.

There are countless things you can do, just by decorating with what nature provides for us.

If you have a little time why not sit with your children and make your own wrapping paper? Start with regular craft paper, you can even use brown bags. Just purchase Christmas stamps, and stamp them in red and green, and you have the base of your own unique wrapping. Add a bow, and some greenery, your packages will shine—this works well with plain tissue paper also, instead of spending a fortune on wrappings.

Remember, also to recycle all that Christmas wrap, regardless of what kind it is, and the cardboard boxes, also. That is all recyclable, even your tree.

Check with your local village, many will shred your tree and you can use it for mulch.

Have a beautiful holiday.
Merry Christmas and peace to all.

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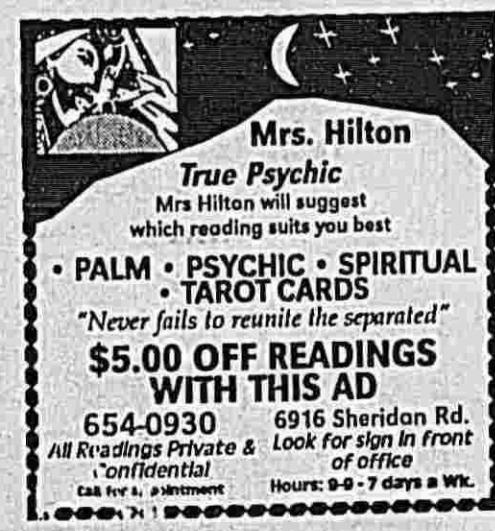


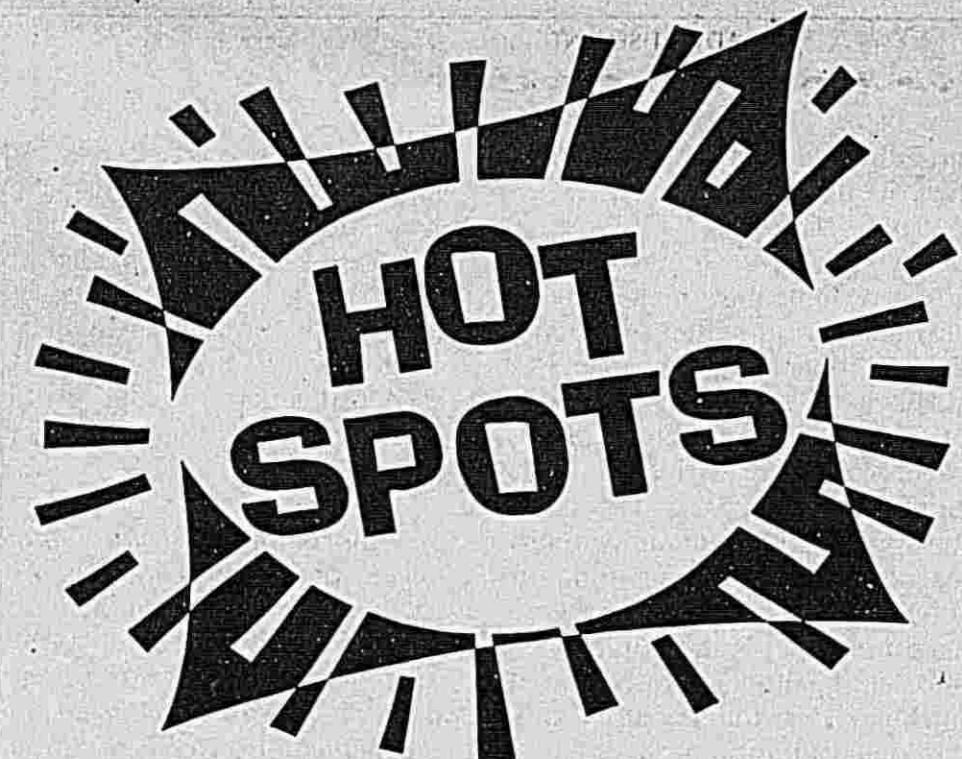
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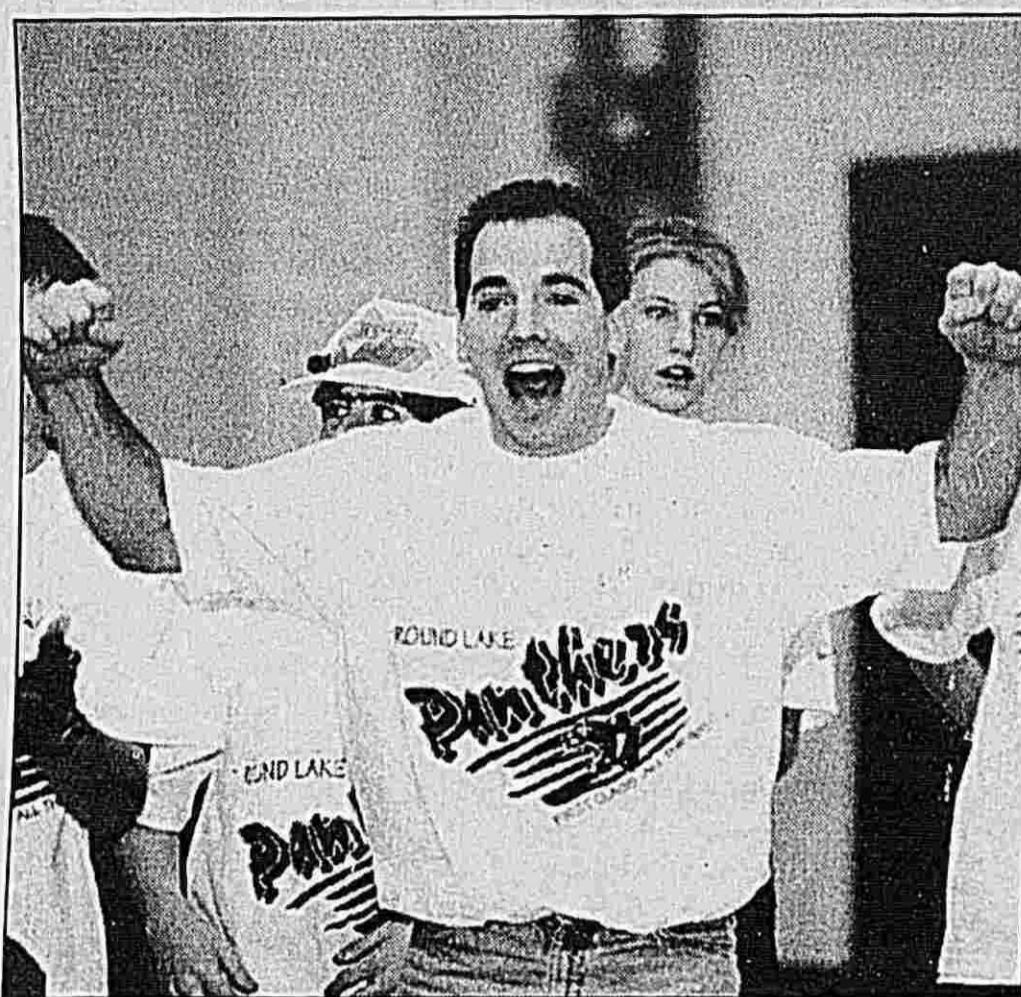
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Technical consultant, representing Johnson Controls, Kasey Setters cheers on the Round Lake High School Master Blaster in the finals competition of the "Dynamite Duel" 1997 Robot Competition, Saturday. Round Lake finished second in the event.

—Photo by Sandy Bressner

ROBOTS: Mind games can teach lessons

countering driver problems during its semifinal match with Round Lake High School. The TriloBot failed to pick up any sticks of dynamite, dropping the match to RLHS.

With the victory, RLHS headed to the final with their robot, the Master Blaster, where they once again met up with Antioch Community High School's Dragon.

The robot, as ACHS applied technology teacher Greg Collins put it, was built from a box of junk electronic parts, aluminum, wood and plastic.

Collins said the students put in about 40 hours on the robot, working on it for around six weeks, two nights a week.

The team of 15 students spent the first two nights sorting out everybody's ideas and Collins said the team really had to get past individual opinions and work together as a team.

Grayslake High School technology teacher Jerry Allen said his students put in around 90 hours of classroom work and also additional time outside of the class.

Allen said the team of six boys and six girls had to overcome inexperience in the technology field first, and work on the robot after that.

"It's the ultimate problem solving," said Allen who went on to say the team encountered a problem with the right wheel not driving.

"The kids had to find out what the problem was, and then work as a team to get it solved," he said. "Everybody on the team contributed."

When the dust settled, and the final stick had been placed into a

bucket, Antioch Community High School's Dragon came out on top, defeating Round Lake's Master Blaster twice in the final round. Third place went to Mundelein High School and fourth went to the Lake County Technology Campus.

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The *Titanic* struck an iceberg around 11:40 pm on April 14, 1912. By 2:18 am on April 15, 1912 (within 3 hours of the initial collision) the enormous ship had sunk. "Titanic" the movie opens December 19, 1997. See it at Cineplex Odeon's Ridge Cinemas and also help the United Way by playing the "Titanic" game. Prizes include a Caribbean cruise for two courtesy of the Travel Network, "Titanic" merchandise, tickets to Tony and Tina's Wedding, a getaway to the Sybaris, or an actual life jacket used in the multi-million dollar production of the "Titanic."

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How can you give an innovative gift to loved ones this holiday season that will make them feel truly special? Perfume has always been an easy option, but is often depicted as the choice of last minute shoppers. This year, you can give the gift of scent in an entirely

new way that expresses thought and originality—fragrance for the home. And with an inspiring range of home fragrance items on the market it is easier than ever to indulge friends and family without breaking the bank.

Scented candles have been created this season using ingenious packaging that is perfect for the creative gift-giver. From frosted glass jars and shimmering metallic boxes, to terracotta bowls for a more earthy look, candles are offered in every shape and size. For the holidays, Laura Ashley has produced a classic candle with a fun French twist—a gold pot shaped in a graceful fleur de lys design.

Adding fragrance to your own rooms is the perfect way to spoil yourself and also

transforms your home into a welcoming holiday haven. Use classic Christmas scents such as cinnamon and apple to warm the atmosphere. Laura Ashley's tall cinnamon sticks in glass jars not only scent the air but look elegant too.

Other options include filling bowls with spicy pot pourri, spraying a festive fragrance into the air to envelop visitors as they enter, and, to truly be the perfect host, offering aromatic mulled wine to stimulate the senses.

Do you have high hopes for a hassle-free holiday season?

Here are some helpful tips to reduce holiday stress for the coming season. Try these ideas for enjoyable holidays with your family and friends.

1. Hold a family meeting and brainstorm with your children all your holiday choices.

2. To relieve economic strain, discuss realistic expectations with your children. Recruit their help to keep it simple and stay within a budget.

3. Go shopping without your kids. Get a baby-sitter and make it a pleasant time to be with your mate or a special friend.

4. If you are looking for a way to involve teenagers, volunteer as a family to serve food at a shelter or soup kitchen. This builds a teenager's esteem and makes them proud of their families.

5. Learn to delegate responsibility within the family unit. Parents do not have to do everything.

6. Set aside some time just for you every day. Relax or do something special for yourself.

7. If you feel frustrated, find appropriate outlets to reduce stress or calm nerves. Try never to take frustrations out on your family.

Americans enjoy holiday gift giving

Nearly two-thirds of Americans find gift giving personally satisfying and find the shopping experience enjoyable. Only 17 percent report feeling stressed or rushed during their shopping.

The study also reveals that more than a third of adults will be more affectionate toward their significant other if they receive the "right-gift."

How do Americans like to express gratitude for gifts? Kisses and hugs still rank as the most popular way.

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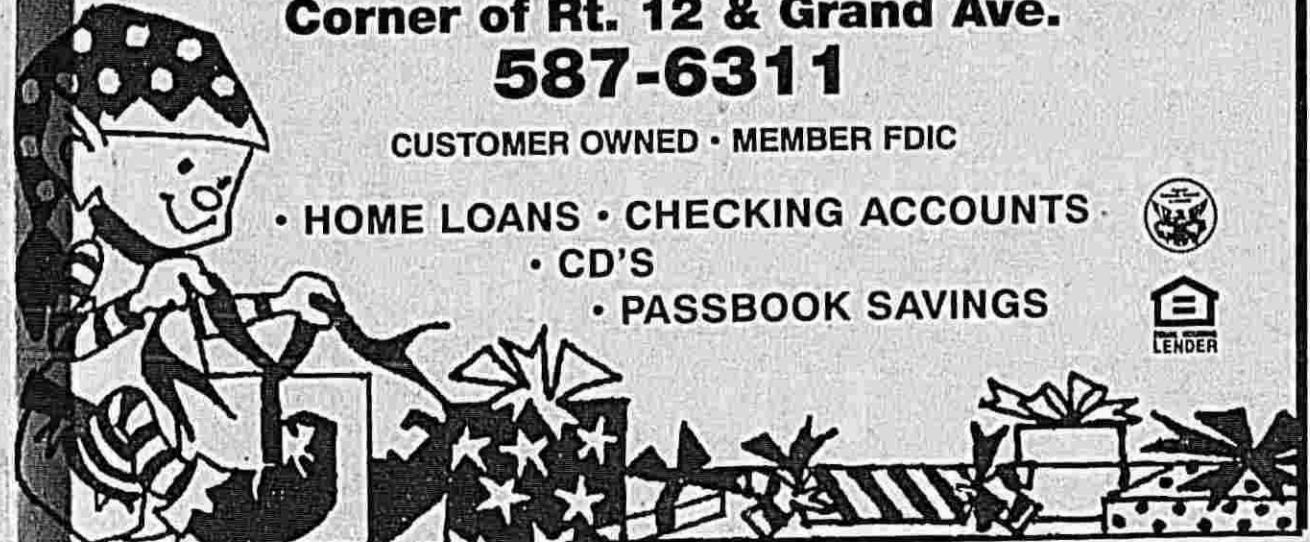
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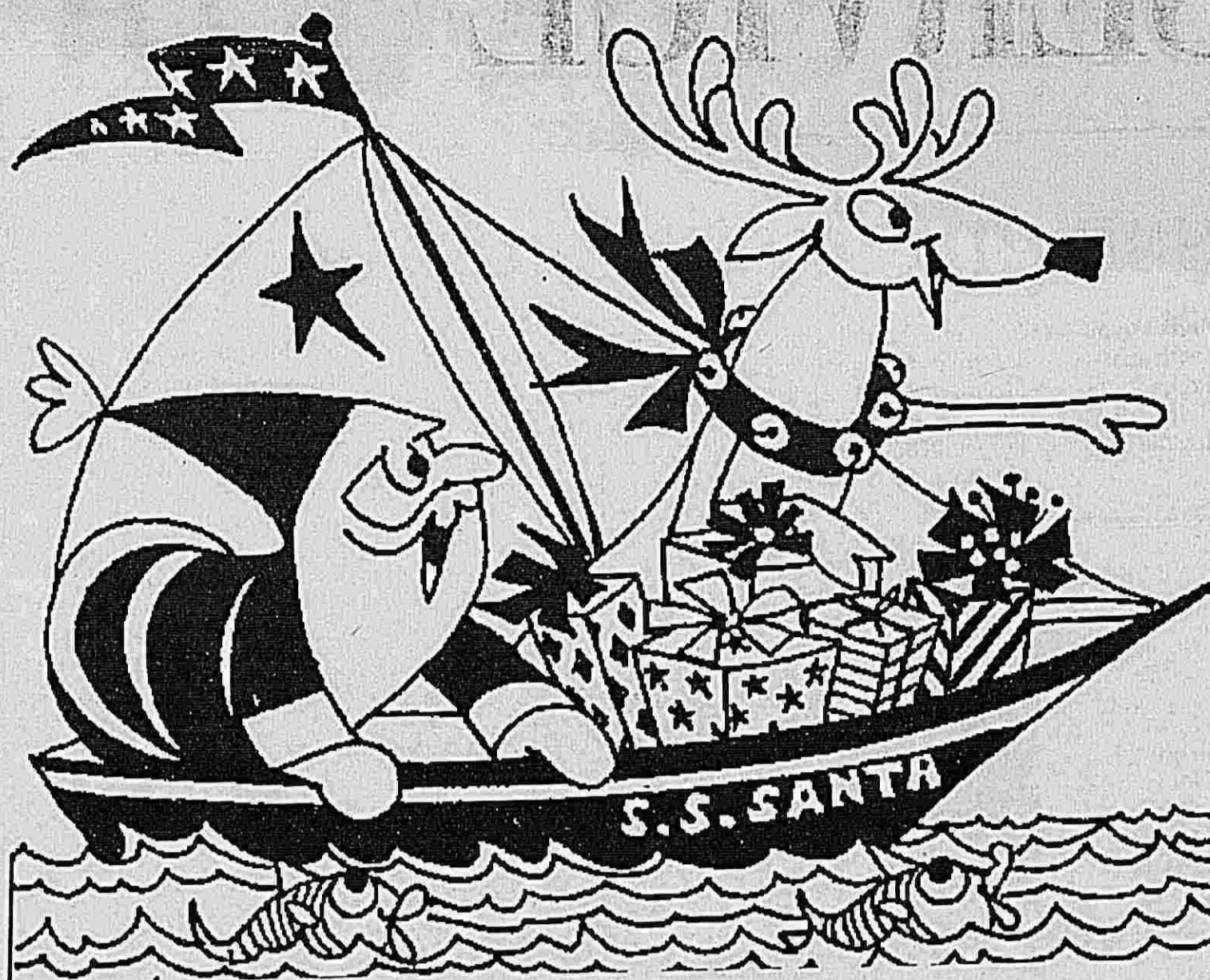
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Don't pay attention

It never ceases to amaze me, especially around the holiday season, the efforts merchants take to try to trick you into believing you're getting huge discounts on merchandise. When something is 25, 50 or 75 percent off, it's usually not. I always look at the value of the item. I don't pay any attention to ads anymore.

Don't hire outside

I'm a former Grayslake police officer and left a few years back, largely due to the morale problems and the things happening under Chief Koletos. I applaud the board for replacing him and my only fear is that they spend another \$15-\$20,000 of taxpayer money and go outside, or have they finally learned their lesson and will they stay inside? As a Grayslake taxpayer, I'm tired of my tax money being wasted when we have qualified people within the department that are familiar with problems that were there and the ones he created. People of Grayslake should let their voices be heard so the village doesn't waste money when they've got qualified people already here.

Grayslake

Coffee mistake

The feature story on Lakelife for Nov. 28 featured a story on coffee houses. You didn't mention Tres Jolis Gourmet on Washington St. I've gotten gift baskets from her and patronize the shop all the time. I couldn't believe you didn't mention that place. She's been there for a year-and-a-half. I love the coffee house there and was upset I didn't see it mentioned in the article.

Editor's Note: The oversight is regretted.

Get rid of bar

Please help rid Mundelein and Lake County of the new sleazy, triple X bar for 18 and up, called Scores/Offsides. Call Mark Beaubien, our Illinois State Representative at 487-5252. This will bring drugs, prostitution and crime to our area, and it will decrease our property values. Please help now.

Mundelein

Give a hoot...

Did you know that the Chicago Metropolitan area's 50-mile radius is the most polluted area in the country? Think about it. Do you care about your children's future? You should be recycling. You shouldn't buy plastic toys unless you can recycle them to other neighbors or friends, and you should not be burning wood. Wood contributes chemicals and CO₂ into the air. Think about others when you burn firewood each night.

Leaders wanted

I'm calling to say watch out, Lake County. Bob Churchill is attacking recently defeated Al Salvi by saying, "I'm not sure what he wants to be." Well, it goes both ways, baby. Churchill's aide's husband, Tim Osmond, was just sworn in as township supervisor five months ago because he wanted to serve people. Now that his boss is moving up, Tim Osmond wants to move up also, and give up his supervisor's position. I think he ought to turn it

over to the person he defeated by only 100 votes. What happened to serving the people? Does Osmond know what he really wants, or is he riding on someone's coattails. We want independent leaders, not followers. Wake up!

Deposit heaven?

This is a question to village trustees of Round Lake Beach. Why do you charge \$100 deposit on water per household? A person doesn't get it back unless they move. What happens if a person dies or forget they left a \$100 deposit? I was told it stays in an account that doesn't draw interest. What happens when the money's forgotten? Who gets it? I think this 30-year-old law is outdated and pathetic.

No big deal

Not to say that I've been there or that I'd frequent the place (the Mundelein topless bar), if people want to pay to see something like that, let them pay. Who's to say there will be prostitution? It's not like children are allowed, or women will be dancing naked in the parking lot. There's nothing illegal about it. I don't see what the big deal is. I knew there would be a committee wanting to shut the place down when I saw it come in. What's the big deal?

Thanks, Ace

I'd like to congratulate and thank Ace Hardware in Round Lake for their toy display and giveaways. A few weeks ago, my children and I went. I won a \$50 gift certificate. I wanted Ace Hardware to know it was put to good use, giving toys to my kids for Christmas. Thanks, again, Ace Hardware, you're tops in my book.

Drop the water

Corps of Engineers, how about dropping the water on the chain about a foot? It would help to kill the algae that's in the channels. Also, I'd like to get my paper delivered on Thursdays, instead of being mailed. I miss a lot of meetings.

Yes, we're here

I'm calling about a comment in Lipservice some time ago, called "Anybody out there?" Yes, there are many intelligent people out here, and there's also a few radical right-wing wacko nuts who are very boisterous about their agenda and they will lie, cheat and steal to get it across. Don't despair, there's also a lot of liberals in Lake County. So, move on in!

Fox Lake's beautiful

Thumbs up to the Fox Lake stores, who did beautiful decorations on the front of the stores this year. The town looks beautiful. They did a great job. We're on the way to making our town look its best. Thumbs up, Fox Lake!

I want my comedy

I'm angry at TCI Cable for changing the system and taking Comedy Central off the air. We have no choice in Lake County and this monstrosity of TCI is taking over.

Know your options

I'm calling about disabled people having homemakers come into your home. Beware and realize what your

options are when they steal from your home. I've gone through the experience and I've gone through the wringer.

No to sewers

What do we have to do to get them to acknowledge we don't want sewers? I can't believe "No joke" has to spend \$50,000 for a septic system, especially when their neighbors have just holes for a septic system. I've had a septic system for 32 years, and in a flood zone, I've never had any problems.

Antioch

Believe...or else

I don't mind people belonging to a religion of their choice, but when they begin to flaunt their religions and push it on others, thinking that others should believe and accept their religious beliefs, I don't agree. If

you don't believe, they'll treat you like dirt and say you're going to Hell. This is when I object to their religions and certainly to the government giving them funding and support in order to promote their bigotry. A quote by Benjamin Franklin goes, "When God does not take care to support a religion so that its professors are obliged to call for help of the civil power, 'tis a sign of its being a bad one." There is always discord and division and persecution when church and state mix together. Both work best when they are kept separate. Keep church and state separate!

Zion

Beware of lies

I think that maybe people ought to beware of real estate agents. I've never met such a bunch of ruthless, cutthroat people in my whole life. They'd sell their grandmother

to make a buck. My husband is in the business. They will lie, cheat, backstab, and do anything. Beware when they tell you something, because most likely, it's not the truth.

Don't forget

I am so disappointed. We were at the Bear game on Dec. 7 and there wasn't one mention that it was Pearl Harbor Day. The veterans deserve better. It gets worse every year, they keep forgetting it. I'm not even 40 yet, but I won't forget about Pearl Harbor. This country needs to wake up!

Rude smooching

I was sitting in a restaurant and there was a young couple sitting there smooching and smooching. Don't they know how foolish and vulgar that looks?

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The end of an era

Rabbi leaves after 40 years in the synagogue

By BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

As a baseball fan, Rabbi William Fertig smiles at the suggestion that his job security is similar to a big league manager. "Yes, technically, I'm an employee."

But, similar to legendary Walter Alston, who managed the Los Angeles Dodgers to National League pennants and World Series titles without the benefit of a long-term contract, Rabbi Fertig didn't find being under a microscope disconcerting in his role as rabbi of Congregation Am Echod, which has served Jewish families throughout Lake County for more than 100 years.

In January, Rabbi Fertig begins a sabbatical, ending a 21-year association with the congregation where he was rabbi and principal of the Hebrew School. In stepping down from his duties at Congregation Em Echod, he will be concluding 40 years as a rabbi.

Scholarly and reserved, the native of San Francisco who originally planned on becoming a college English professor plans on remaining a resident of Waukegan. His family includes a married son in Deerfield, three grandchildren, and two daughters who work and reside in Boston and New York City. His wife, Bryna, died last year, a victim of cancer.

Rabbi Fertig weathered demographic changes that severely cut into the ranks of congregants and changes in attitudes toward reli-

gion that saw young people drift away from their religion and temple attendance.

"At one time so many of our young people didn't want to be Jewish. They wanted to be something else. Now more people are active; their children are attending Hebrew School. They're returning to their roots," Rabbi Fertig ob-

'At one time so many of our young people didn't want to be Jewish. They wanted to be something else'

William Fertig,
Rabbi

served with satisfaction.

"I'll find a niche," Rabbi Fertig noted, returning to his plans for the future. He will explore part-time teaching opportunities in the Chicago area.

Despite a demanding schedule of religious duties, Rabbi Fertig was a familiar figure at College of Lake County where he lectured on Judaism and philosophy of religion. He also has taught English composition courses at CLC.

Lake County's rapid growth in the past two decades impacted heavily on the conservative synagogue with imposing facilities at 1500 Sunset Ave. on Waukegan's northwest side. Synagogues have been established in a number of

other communities. Rabbi Fertig said he remembers when Jewish families from as far away as Lake Zurich, Fox Lake and Libertyville attended Em Echod services.

With participation on the upswing, Rabbi Fertig happily reported that members are planning to establish a branch in western Lake County, possibly Lindenhurst, where Hebrew studies and Sunday school could be taught along with other services provided.

The rabbi's responsibilities have changed. Once daily hospital visitations were a must. Now he seldom makes a hospital call. "People don't stay in the hospital long enough anymore or they're in nursing homes."

Rabbi Fertig says he also misses the interaction with clergy of other faiths. Waukegan and Lake County once had an active ecumenical atmosphere. Now the clergy is more inwardly focused, he feels. "We've lost a sense of community."

Rabbi Fertig followed the tradition of strong Jewish preaching. "I enjoyed sermonizing. I spent a great deal of time on preparation. People enjoy a good message."

The soft-spoke clergyman had to be prompted about his brush with history while serving in Dallas. He was called to visit Jack Ruby in jail and Parkland Hospital. "Yes, I saw him six times."

Ruby shot and killed Lee Harvey Oswald, the accused murderer of President John F. Kennedy.



Rabbi William Fertig holds the Torah in the synagogue Em Echod in Waukegan. The rabbi is stepping down from his duties after a 21-year association with the synagogue and Hebrew school.—Photo by Lynn Gunnarson Dahlstrom

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Nude dancers out on street?

Topless bar faces eviction from Diamond Lake building owner

By SPENCER SCHEIN
Staff Reporter

In war times, beacon lights were used to attract planes to runways. Nowadays, Offsides Sports Bar in unincorporated Diamond Lake is using beacon lights to attract customers to its topless dance club.

And more than just the customers have noticed. Lake County Board Member Diana O'Kelly (R-Mundelein) is focusing a lot of her time and energy to do what she can to close the bar, which is facing closure under an eviction notice filed by the woman who claims to be the majority owner of the establishment, located at 26228 N. Route 83.

O'Kelly is now trying to get the lights turned off on Offsides and give the surrounding neighbors an uninhibited skyline without four lines of light spinning around and around and around.

"To me, it does not seem right that people in a neighborhood should be around this," she said. The county board member has asked the Lake County Planning and Zoning Board to review what it can do against the beacon lights and the sign that advertises XXX adult entertainment.

"It is very upsetting to the neighbors," O'Kelly said. "I am three miles away and I can see the lights from my house."

The board agreed to address the issue at its next meeting, scheduled for Monday, Dec. 22.

As far as the eviction goes, five defendants representing the existing Offsides operators are facing a jury trial, which is scheduled to begin Monday, Dec. 22, if there are no continuances made or if a jury can be convened.

About 30 members of the Citizens for Community Standards organization attended the first hearing on the eviction notice held Dec. 15.

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Mundelein resident Linda Margolius points her finger at Offsides, the club featuring nude dancers on Route 83 in Mundelein, while protesting the establishment with the Group Citizens for Community Standards.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

CHRISTMAS BRAG LETTERS KEEP US HUMBLE / C5

NICASA offers tips for holiday survival

The holidays are supposed to be a great time, with everyone happy and having fun.

"Our childhood memories and media images combine to tell us that everyone is with their family celebrating age-old traditions," says Judy Fried, executive director of the Northern Illinois Council on Alcoholism and Substance Abuse (NICASA).

While the holidays can be almost perfect for some people, Fried says the reality is that they represent one of the highest stress times of the year.

"There's a real financial strain for many people who feel obligated to give expensive gifts that they can't afford," she says. "Others get stressed out because of all the work that's involved with the holidays—tree trimming, card sending, gift giving, baking and partying. Far too many people overuse food and alcohol to deal with the stress."

She says depression is commonplace during the holidays. "Expectations that aren't met can lead to disappointments, strains on relationships and guilt," she says. "Traditions often fall apart because of divorce,

deaths of loved ones and hard times.

"Given this reality, we can cope effectively with the holidays and make this time of year a positive one. They can be a time of re-dedication to what makes life most meaningful to you."

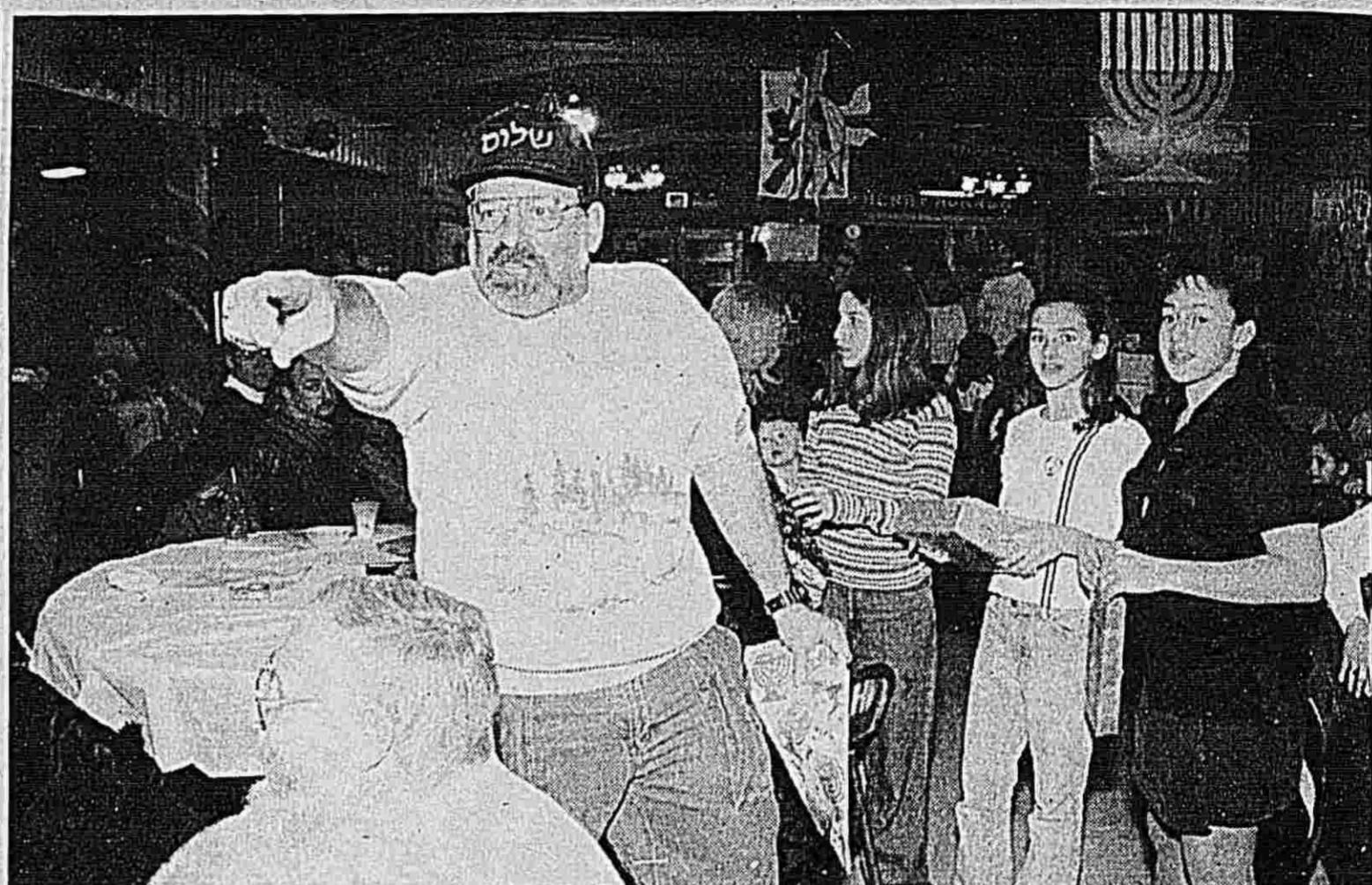
Fried offers these tips to deal with stress during the holidays:

- Give yourself a break. Don't hassle yourself for what you did not do. Take breathers—even five minutes of quiet time in a day can make a difference. Meditate in your car a few minutes in the lot before going into the office or leaving for home.
- Discuss the holidays with those who celebrate with you to agree on what you will do, what you won't do, why and how. Emphasize the meaning behind the holiday, not the commercial aspects.

• Get enough sleep and rest.

• Rather than numbing yourself with alcohol or other drugs, release stress through exercise. There's nothing at all wrong with a good cry. Instead of stuffing your feelings, share them with a good friend, a counselor or a support group.

For those people who are alone and can't be with family or close friends during the holidays, Fried suggests using the time to make new connections or do something of value for others, like visiting a friend or relative who may be sick at home or in the hospital.



Season of joy

Barry Gold (above), religious director at Congregation Or Tikvah, auctions off presents at the congregation's first Hanukkah party held on the grounds of Camp Henry Horner. (right photo) Josh, (left) 8, Paul, and Noah Moss, 10, enjoy the food from the party held during the event.—Photos by Lynn Gunnarson Dahlstrom



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DANCERS: Nude dancers evicted?

That is about the same number of people who showed up to picket Offsides the night of Dec. 12, holding signs with the words "Bad Location," "Unsafe For Our Children" and slashes through "XXX" and "Scores," the alternative name Offsides has been referred to since it changed from a sports bar that served liquor to a topless club that serves juice.

"The (picket) on Friday was more effective," said Ellen Whelan, founder of the citizens group, "because it hit more of the rush hour traffic, and (we) received a lot of favorable response from cars."

"Thumbs up, nodding heads yes and honking horns" were all signs of support for the growing group, which boasts more than 1,000 members.

The next picket will take place Friday, Dec. 19, at 4 p.m. Two prayer sessions have been scheduled, one at

Kirk of the Lakes Church Dec. 19 at 6 p.m. and the other at the Century Assembly of God Church on Dec. 29 at 6 p.m.

Whelan has scheduled a forum for Jan. 10, 1998 at Diamond Lake School, where several area politicians and political candidates will address the issue of how to rid adult entertainment from residential communities.

Sharon Gavrilos of Hoffman Estates filed an eviction notice against the current operators. She is the ex-wife of Peter Gavrilos, who had owned and operated Offsides with his brother Christ Garvelos (they spell their last names differently) until Peter died of a heart attack in February 1994. As executor of her ex-husband's estate, Gavrilos has stated she became majority owner of the business when he died, and that the bar was turned into a nude-dancing club against her will.

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Wrongful death civil suit filed

Wauconda—The family of Amber Lovitz, 13, of Wauconda, who was killed in a hit-and-run crash Nov. 1, has filed a wrongful death civil lawsuit against the Arlington Heights woman accused of killing her, and the bar where the woman had told police she was coming from when the accident occurred. Dawn DeGuide, 35, pleaded innocent last week in Lake County Circuit Court last week on the criminal charges of a two counts of reckless homicide, and faces up to 14 years in prison if convicted.

Waukegan personal injury attorney Patrick Salvi filed a wrongful death civil suit against her Dec. 12 in circuit court on behalf of Amber's parents, John Lovitz and Lola Burke, and her brother, Aaron Lovitz, seeking in excess of \$50,000 in damages, Salvi said.

"They deserve justice and due compensation for the loss of their daughter in the case of the parents, and the brother under the law is entitled to be compensated," Salvi said. "It is a horrible tragedy," Salvi said. "A precious girl was needlessly killed."

Restrictions placed on RV's

Mundelein—After years of discussion, Mundelein finally has a new ordinance on the books regarding the parking and storage of recreational vehicles on private property. Trustees voted 5 to 1 to approve the ordinance at the Dec. 15 board meeting.

According to the ordinance, all Mundelein residents are permitted to have up to 2 non-motorized watercraft up to 17 feet long in any back yard. Residents who want to store more vehicles or have them stored in their front yards or side yards will have to apply for a permit. Variances for existing nonconforming RV's must be applied for within 90 days, and will be acted on by the village within one year.

The ordinance allows for the temporary parking of recreational vehicles up to 72 hours for refrigeration purposes and grandfathers all variances already approved under the previous ordinance, which was approved by Mundelein officials in 1951.

Recreational vehicles as described by the ordinance include: camper, travel or utility trailers; motor homes; off-the-road vehicles; racing cars or cycles; snowmobiles; truck campers; and recreational watercraft.

New fire, police facilities proposed

Antioch—Village trustees will discuss at their Jan. 5 meeting a proposed bond referendum to finance construction of new public safety buildings.

A preliminary estimate of \$2.5 million may include the cost of a new police building, a fire substation on the east side of Antioch, and a new fire service vehicle. Initial estimates of cost are approximate and not based on architectural drawings of a police facility. A more specific estimate of the police building portion of the proposal will be presented at the Jan. 5 village board meeting.

Land has been donated on Deep Lake Road north of Depot Street for a fire substation. The new police building is proposed for a site adjacent to the existing fire station on Orchard Street.

The bond referendum, were the village trustees to proceed with the proposal, would be voted on by village residents in the March 17 election.

Grayslake opens field house

Grayslake—Grayslake Community High School officially opened the doors to its field house Dec. 12. The boys basketball teams played Woodstock Community High School in the first event to ever be held in the new facility.

The \$7.2 million facility is 52,000 square feet in size. It includes four classrooms, new administrative offices, three basketball courts, a running track, a new training room, athletic locker rooms and more. There is seating for 1,600 with the ability to expand in the future to seat 2,600.

The field house provides room for physical education classes and sports practice at the school which has more than 1,400 students. That number is expected to swell to an enrollment of over 2,900 in the next 10 years.

The facility will be officially dedicated Jan. 23, during "Pack the House Night," when the boys and girls varsity basketball teams both play.



Howie Long, movie star?

Howie Long, former Oakland Raider great, was at Planet Hollywood to promote his move, *Firestorm*, and talk to some Warren Township High School football players.—Photo by Lynn Gunnarson Dahlstrom

Liberty Hall bell silenced

Libertyville—The school bell for the proposed Liberty Hall Charter School has been silenced before it ever rang. The District 70 Elementary school board unanimously denied the proposal on Monday night.

The board criticized the proposal for its lack of innovation, its lack of support in the community and a perceived lack of cooperation between the school's founders and the board.

Barbara Shafer, Diane Grocki and Tom Schoeneman, the founders of the proposed school, were on hand for the decision.

Bad back takes McRae out of county board race

By SPENCER SCHEIN
Staff Reporter

Former Lake County Forest Preserve President Colin McRae was planning to run for the Lake County Board again, but passed to concentrate on his health.

"I had intended to run, however between the time I made the decision to run and the time to run I have suffered three herniated discs in my back," said McRae, 54, of Mundelein.

The last day to file petitions was Dec. 15. McRae would have run in District 10 in the republican primary, against incumbent Lake County Board Member Diana O'Kelly (R-Mundelein) and challenger Mary F. Bowes Fitzgibbons, also of Mundelein.

"My number one priority is to get physically well again," McRae said. "To do a successful campaign, you have to go door-to-door," he said. "The only race I lost I did not do that."

Due to the stress on his back, McRae said he cannot walk or run quickly, which would have hampered his plans to campaign in January.

"As much as I hate it, I looked forward to it, but it was not in my best interest of my health," he said.

McRae said he is sure he will eventually support one of the candidates running in Dist. 10.

Candidates file for primary

Libertyville—Two more candidates for the Lake County board tossed their hats into the March primary ring just prior to the filing deadline.

Former county board member and current Libertyville township supervisor F.T. "Mike" Graham and fellow former Lake County board member Roberta "Bobbie" O'Reilly have teamed up to make a run at the board in an effort to curb growth.

Graham will oppose incumbent Carol Calabresa and former Libertyville village trustee Robert Ostroga in the District 15 race.

O'Reilly, of Long Grove, will run against incumbent Pam Newton, of Vernon Hills in the District 18 race.

Holiday lights winners announced

Antioch—Three winners shine in the Holiday Lights of Antioch contest. They are Tom Hausman, for traditional design, Greg Stevens, for creative display, and Jerry Ouper, for original creation.

Hausman lives at 518 Gary's Drive, Stevens at 626 Plum Tree Lane, and Ouper at 1499 Eagle Ridge Drive.

"This program, Holiday Lights of Antioch is funded by CAN, Community Action Now, which is part of the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry," said Barbara Porch, who headed up the project committee. It is intended to encourage village residents to invest time and effort in displays that promote a holiday spirit.

"There were many many very very nicely decorated homes. It was hard for them to choose this year," Porch said. "What's important is making the most of your home," said Porch.

Local a member of 4-H Congress

Lake Villa—Amy Vanderkooy of Lake Villa's Guys and Gals 4-H Club was one of 29 Illinois leadership delegates to the 76th National 4-H Congress that convened in Memphis, Tennessee for five days after Thanksgiving. The congress helps young people become more informed about society and become better leaders.

Her selection as a candidate to the Congress was based on projects she did and lessons she learned during her entire 4-H career. In Illinois, there are 225,000 young people and 16,000 youth leaders who participate in 4-H.

Vanderkooy said that interested people can attend club meetings, or they can call Susan A. Soukup. She is the Extension Unit Educator for Youth at 847-223-8627 and can help people learn about clubs in their area. There is no fee to join.

At the national congress, Vanderkooy attended educational seminars and cultural events. She met people like Dave Thomas, Chief Executive Officer of Wendy's, and Kate Shindle, Miss America for 1998. There were 1,100 youth delegates from 45 states and territories of the United States. The theme of the five-day congress was "Learning to lead...Leading to learn in a Diverse World." Seminars were held on such topics as Livestock Ethics, The Rules of Life, Youth Entrepreneurship, Time Management, Cruising the Information Highway, and the Environment.

Gossett to try his luck at politics

Waukegan—Donald Gossett, retiring Libertyville High School superintendent, is making a bid for politics.

He is the third Republican candidate to file for the four-year District 11 term for the Lake County Board.

"I am retiring in June as superintendent at Libertyville High School. I talked it over with my wife and we do not plan on leaving the area. She will continue to run her shop in Grayslake and I wanted to stay involved in public service," said Gossett.

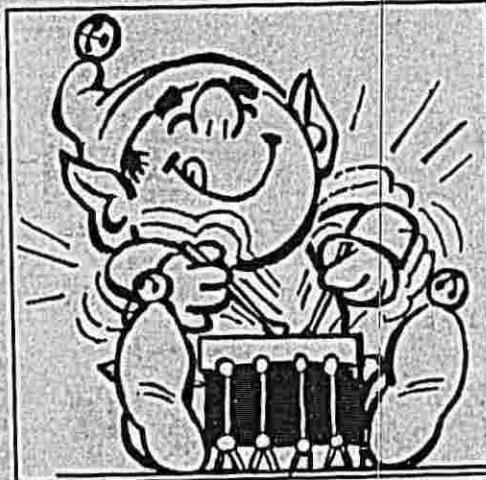
Gossett has a Waukegan address in District 11. The district serves parts of Grayslake and Wildwood. He will face incumbent Sandy Cole of Woodland Meadows and Paul Schmidt of Wildwood in the Republican primary on March 17.

"It is not easy to just suddenly have nothing to do. I have developed skills which I think will transfer to be a productive member of the Lake County Board. I have always been interested in politics," Gossett said.

Gossett has served Libertyville High for 33 years and 18 as superintendent. The timing was right for a run at public office now, Gossett, age 59, said.

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A Savior is born

8. There were some shepherds in that part of the country who were spending the night in the fields taking care of their flocks.

9. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone over them. They were terribly afraid,

10. but the angel said to them "Don't be afraid! I am here with good news for you, which will bring great joy to all the people."

11. This very day in David's town your Savior was born—Christ the Lord!

12. And this is what will prove it to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

13. Suddenly a great army of heaven's angels appeared with the angel, singing praises to God:

14. "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and peace on earth to those with whom he is pleased."

From Luke 2
The Good News Bible

(Repeated by popular request)

Much about schools emerges as positive, business chief finds

Vernon R. Loucks Jr., chairman and chief executive officer of Baxter International Inc., isn't shy about admitting that a lot of what he once thought was wrong with public education in Illinois has been or is being changed.

"We're now on the right path, and as we approach this holiday season, that's something worth remembering," he says.

As one of Lake County's leading employers, Loucks is well aware of negativity about schools. However, "never in our state's history have so many positives, thoughtful and creative changes been in the works (for schools)," Loucks avers.

Some of the things that he sees that are worthwhile are the adoption of world-class academic standards. Conversion of the State Board of Education into a mover for change and innovation in teaching and learning is a solid step forward, in the opinion of the world recognized business leader.

Teeth have been put into the accountability process with the creation of an Academic Warning List. Getting updated are ideas how teachers are trained, certified and kept up-to-date professionally. Literacy and reading skills are being improved. The business leader likes the way Paul Vallas, the Chicago school chief, has cut waste, set new academic standards and implemented a program making sure students have attained certain standards before promoted.

Loucks wants it known that thousands of educators deserve credit for adopting a business strategy, "total quality management."

Big business has a lot at stake in education quality, so words from the Deerfield-based leader carry plenty of weight. Notice that Loucks didn't say anything about money. That's significant in itself.

Coming from a business leader with a solid reputation for forthright, "tell-it-like-it-is" opinion, the evaluation of the status of public education, indeed, is encouraging.

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VIEWPOINT

Yule spirit displayed year around at shelters



BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

In the true spirit of Christmas, several dozen persons will be giving up family time Christmas Eve and Christmas Day to make sure the homeless have a meal and a place to sleep.

They are among 2,000 volunteers for Lake County PADS (Public Action Delivering Shelter). Every year the number willing to staff PADS shelters grows, but only nine or 10 persons are needed to work three shifts between 7 p.m. and 7 a.m. at each of two locations.

Some 70 persons will wend their way Christmas Eve to either St. Mary's Catholic Church, Fremont Center, rural Mundelein, or Trinity United Lutheran Church, Waukegan, two of 13 shelters where a hot meal and a clean bed are provided. About 6:30 p.m. Christmas Day, a like number will show up at United Protestant Church, Grayslake, or Church of the Annunciation, Gurnee, to be fed. The 13 sites form the Lake County PADS network.

"Lake County citizens are very generous," exclaimed Executive Dir. May Reddick, who said 70 percent of PADS funding comes from private sources.

Rose Pech of Lake Villa, site manager, said a wonderful community support system makes the U-P Church shelter work, providing a basic breakfast and a sack lunch besides the hot meal. "It's like Christmas every week of the year," she stated. Other sites have similar support systems.

At the Gurnee church, lunch also will be served Christmas day with gifts for clients, according to Reddick. Churches in the PADS network often do something extra on holidays, the director added.

The PADS schedule for holiday

nights sounds similar to a lot of homes—eating, watching a video, playing cards, visiting. Only the homeless won't be among family or friends. They're strangers experiencing Christmas together. But it's still Christmas.

Not Bulls owner

Dr. Ron Stanczak is a dead ringer for Chicago sports mogul Jerry Reinsdorf. The Libertyville resident with dental offices in Vernon Hills and North Chicago probably isn't reminded of the resemblance more than 10 times a week.

Changing rules

Charles Joly, a retired psychologist and an ardent student of grassroots government, poses an interesting question. The Ingleside resident wonders how much money townships would have left over if they provided for their own needs instead of sending tax money to Waukegan? He reckons his home township of Grant would receive about \$12 million under such a system, probably six times more than now doled out. Charles can be reached at 815-385-7565 if you'd

like to discuss his plan further.

Political oddity

Here's a novel twist in the wacky world of politics. A candidate running for an office for which he actually is qualified. State Sen. Chris Lauzen (R-Aurora) is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Illinois comptroller. By profession Lauzen, 44, is an accountant. He is a CPA. The comptroller's office is all about financial management. Lauzen's district includes Naperville, Aurora, Lisle, Geneva, Batavia and St. Charles.

Changing cameras

Owen Jensen is signing off Friday, Dec. 19, for the last time as co-anchor of Star Channel 3 news, the popular and well produced local cable news show aired by TCI of Northeastern Illinois from studios in Waukegan. After a short vacation, Owen will join the Fox affiliate in South Bend, Ind., as a TV news reporter. Good luck.

One man's family

In pop's household, Dec. 24 likely will be crowded, but is certain to be fun. Our gathering will include five munchkins with two of them, Alexandra and Nicole, experiencing their first Yule, various adults, four dogs, and two Christmas puppies. Our family room will be as hectic as convenient *Concourse B* on Friday afternoon. *Tiny cousin* grand-niece Julia now is a bona fide toddler so she'll have to fend for herself. True believers, John and Erika, are excited about a visit from Santa, although Erika has served notice that she'll be watching closely to make sure St. Nick's beard is real. Merry Christmas to all!

Christmas spirit should last all year

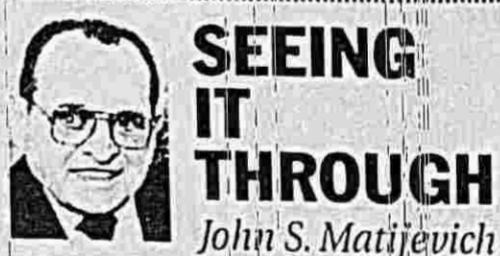
The Christmas season may not be the time of the year to write about hate and violence, about gangs, about what's wrong with the world.

Then again, maybe it is. Christmas is the most joyous of holidays. Sure, some of its real meaning is gone. Sure, it's overcommercialized since Santa was issued a limitless credit card.

But yet, Christmas is a time when togetherness, friendliness, and love are all around us. It may disappear quickly, like the day after, but, if we can enjoy the fruits of love on one day, why can't we spread it out over many more?

About a month ago, on our local Channel 3 TV, I saw and heard a young girl explain why she joined a gang. She said that it was because she wanted to be loved, she thought that no one in the world cared for her, and the gang was the place where she thought they showed her love. She wanted attention and she received it in the gang. If this were an isolated case, there wouldn't be much to worry about, but I sense that many young people feel that gangs are an answer to their feeling of loneliness.

For most adults, it's hard to understand how young people can believe that a gang which teaches them to hate can be loving; that a gang which puts guns in their hands and teaches them to kill can be loving; that a gang which allows them to put drugs in their bodies to destroy their



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John S. Matijevich

lives and souls can be loving.

Young people belong to gangs because they think that gangs give them the same togetherness, friendliness, and love—misguided as it is—that we enjoy during the Christmas season.

Many years ago, I was on the House Appropriations Committee and appearing before us was the

head of the prisons system in Illinois. At that time, the costs to taxpayers to house one prisoner was about the same as to educate one student at any prestigious university.

My first thought was what a waste in taxpayers' resources, knowing that rehabilitation may be our goal, but not often reached. I remember asking the director why so many people were in prison; we know that they weren't born criminals; what went wrong?

His answer was similar to the young girl who joined the gang. The director said that you would be

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On the trail to a comeback

Call **Mike Graham** the comeback kid (or senior, perhaps). After being shut-out of politics for 12 years, Graham made a successful bid for Libertyville Township Supervisor on April Fool's Day and now he is hoping to return to the county board in the St. Paddy's day primary.

Graham is the third candidate to enter the race in Dist. 15. He is facing incumbent **Carol Calabresa** and former Libertyville village trustee **Robert Ostroga**.

"This is something that I felt I not only had to do, but wanted to do," said Graham. "Had to do because the issue is over-development county wide. The other two (candidates) are quality people but in my judgment they have no agenda to address over-development."

Another familiar face

Also wanting to recapture her seat on the Lake County Board is Long Grove resident **Bobbi O'Reilly**. She is seeking a seat again, for two reasons. One, to address over-development issues and also to address the issues raised by the opening of a topless dance club in Diamond Lake.

"It angers me that my opponent has been on the planning and zoning committee for five years and until this happened, they never thought of this," said O'Reilly.

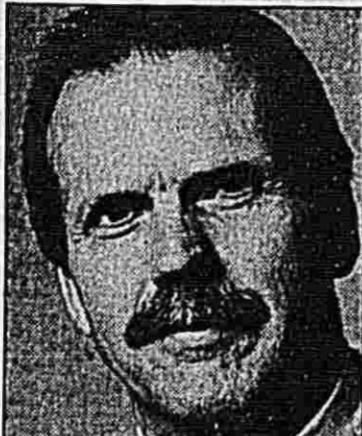
She faces incumbent **Pamela Newton** of Vernon Hills in the primary.

O'Reilly and Graham are running as a team in the race.

Wants job back

Former County Board Chairman **John Balen** of Waukegan also wants to return to the county board.

He is challenging **Angelo Kyle** in the Democratic primary for Dist. 12. Balen, is often remembered as the man who switched parties to get the chairman's job. He was a Re-



McRae: Bad back forces sit-out



O'Reilly: Wants to return to county board



Gash: Changes mind on school funding vote

publican when he served as chairman more than two decades ago.

Sitting out

Rumors have been flying for months that former Mundelein Mayor **Colin McRae** would be trying to recapture the county board seat he lost to **Diana O'Kelly** four years ago, but he is sitting this one out.

McRae has said publicly that a bad back is keeping him out of the race.

O'Kelly is facing a primary challenge from **Mary R. Bowes Fitzgibbons** of Mundelein. Her husband is the Carmel High football coach.

Sidestepping

Two Lake County legislators weren't excited about the new Illinois School funding and reform bill. State Rep. **Lauren Beth Gash** (D-Highland Park) did some legislative gymnastics, first voting no, when the measure fell four votes short in the House 67-47, then changing her vote to yes, when the proposal passed by a 83-31 margin. State Sen. **Terry Link** (D-Vernon Hills) was against the bill that had strong Republican support and some Democrat backing. Gash and Link can use the long holiday recess to explain themselves.

More car sales

Lake Bluff doesn't yet approach Libertyville's prowess as an automobile marketing center. But, it could be on its way. Highland Park based, The Auto Exchange Group is eyeing an eight acre site on Route 41. Auto magnet **Bill Knauz** also is planning more expansion with the acquisition of an abandoned factory that he hopes to be involved in an auto-related business by 2002. Knauz was enticed with an 11 year sales tax rebate.

Xmas brag letters keep us humble



THE PFARR CORNER

Jerry Pfarr

pairs to the school laboratory were finished by Thanksgiving, but they never did find any trace of the school mascot except for the muzzle and leash.

"Our daughter April will be home from the convent for the holidays. After she takes her vows she's scheduled to serve a year in Pago Pago, teaching natives to wear clothes and use toilets.

"Daughter No. 2, Muffy, has just finished a smash-hit run in her high school's musical, "Oklahoma." Her drama teacher was so pleased that he told her next year, when they do 'Paint Your Wagon,' she can be the front end of the horse."

"It took me a moment, and I suspect some of Jim's other friends and relatives also do a double-take before realizing nothing he is telling us is true. Tongue in cheek, he is spoofing all the way.

"I began writing my own letter as a form of self-defense," he says. "Writing the thing each year is worth a few giggles, but it is depressing how many people take it as fact, and at face value."

Such as:

"Grandma Boese got caught speeding again. She slugged the traffic cop with her purse and spent another night in jail."

"Gotta go, the fruitcake must be done 'cuz it set off the smoke detector."

On another occasion he ended his letter like this:

"Time to run. We have to get ready to entertain the Coven for carols and spells at our house this year."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

DNR patronage job for Neal 'an outrage'

We are outraged. Today, Bob Neal, Lake County Board member from District 2, starts his new patronage job as Northern Ill. Field Administrator for the Ill. Dept. of Natural Resources. This is an insult to the many citizens who have worked on behalf of the environment with the DNR.

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SEEING: Spread Christmas spirit

amazed how many decent persons are in prison. He then added that many of them were in prison because, at some time in their lives they thought that they were all alone, that nobody loved them, that no one cared for them. Many of them then turned to drugs and then the crime and violence that brought them to prison.

We know of the pervasive evil of drugs and the devastation to society that drugs have caused. I don't know how many dollars we've thrown at the drug and crime problem. It hasn't worked. Our prisons are full. Somewhere, we are missing it. I hate to use that

In Neal's long political career, he has been the environment's worst enemy—just within recent memory, he supported the Yorkhouse Road extension through the Wadsworth Wetlands Demonstration Project, objected to the use of prairie plants along the tollway interchanges, suggested killing bats who had made a home in a forest preserve shelter.

His constituents fought him at every turn, and as his support eroded, he embarked on a very public quest for a job, apparently any job, to take him to retirement.

The idea of rewarding someone who has so flagrantly failed to serve the public with any highly salaried position is repugnant. If the Republican party feels it must reward its hacks, at least let the job suit the individual and benefit the public. Give Neal a sledgehammer and let him personally dismantle the Deerfield toll plaza.

In the long run, maybe we'll all benefit. With supervision from truly conservation minded folks, maybe Neal will at last begin to realize the benefits of preserving our natural resources. You can be sure that our vigilance won't end with Neal's assumption of this new position. We will be watching carefully to see that he upholds the purpose and integrity of the Dept. of Natural Resources.

Susan Zingle
Wadsworth

Use common sense

The effervescent glow of Pritzker's "Crown Jewel" development in Round Lake shines from yet another diamond-studded approach to solving the development's most recent delay; coercing the Village of Round

Lake into claiming eminent domain over a yellow, mud road to a pig farm.

As long as the village is in the Christmas spirit of writing ordinances on a whim and a prayer, how about writing one that says, "before development begins, a parcel of land must be studied if its located in an 'Unstudied Special Flood Hazard Area'."

That can be followed up by, "Thou shall not flood thy neighbor."

How about throwing in an ordinance for a truck-wash station at all job sites.

Don't forget to add an ordinance for heavy fines to be levied if a job starts without a permit.

And definitely, that all development must stop when the village staff is on vacation.

The village should consider

composing a precedent-setting environmental ordinance enforc-

"If over 90 nesting pair of Blue Herons are located in a Rookery on the proposed development site, it automatically becomes an economic, environmental, botanical type of development."

How about writing an ordinance that when nothing else makes sense, you must resort to common sense.

Not all land can hold a massive, cookie-cutter development. Not all land is a natural preserve; your soils will tell you that.

Getting to know the difference is easy; it's just common sense and the willingness to accept the land and its surrounding limitations.

Kim Eudy
Ingleside

Letters welcome

Letters to the editor are welcome. They should be on topics of general interest, approximately 250 words or less.

All letters must be signed, and contain a home address and telephone number.

The editor reserves the right to condense all letters.



A Christmas Story

The story of "Unlucky Jimmy" is a Christmas tradition for this column. Because the true meaning of Christmas is a timeless message, I will share it again.

Unlucky Jimmy is a sad little story my mother read to me when I was small. It's about a little boy named Jimmy whose family was very poor. His little sister was an invalid and spent most of her days in bed. Christmas held no hope for joy for either of the children.

As he trudged home from school each day, Jimmy would stop to look at the toys in the bright store windows. More than anything, he wanted a little red fire engine. Jimmy knew he would never be lucky enough to get one. In fact, his only marble had rolled down a storm drain the previous week. He felt that he was the unluckiest boy alive. He even called himself Unlucky Jimmy.

Then, one night just before Christmas, Jimmy received an invitation to a Christmas party for the poor children in the neighborhood. A nice lady from a nearby church mission promised Jimmy a special gift. Jimmy grew excited as he drew near the mission. He couldn't believe his eyes when he saw the Christmas tree. It was covered with lights and surrounded by toys. Jimmy saw a bright red fire engine just like the one in the store window.

When it came time for each child to pick out a gift, Jimmy's heart nearly stopped. He was afraid that someone else would pick the fire engine. Fortunately, when his turn came, the little red truck was still under the tree. As Jimmy reached for the engine, he thought of his frail little sister at home in bed. He stopped and turned to the mission lady. He asked softly if he might pick two gifts, one for himself and one for his sister at home. The lady shook her head sadly and told Jimmy there were only enough presents for one per child.

Jimmy looked longingly at the little fire engine. Then he picked out the prettiest doll under the tree. It had blue eyes and curly blond hair, just like his little sister. As he returned to his seat with the doll, the other children began to laugh and make fun of him. Unlucky Jimmy clutched the little doll and ran from the mission. He stopped crying by the time he reached home.

Jimmy began to feel better when he saw the look of surprise and delight on his sister's face. As she hugged the doll and cried with joy, Jimmy didn't feel so unlucky after all.

Later, as Jimmy sat by his little sister's bed watching her play with her doll, someone knocked on the door. When he opened it, the mission lady was there. She gave him the red fire engine and explained to Jimmy that the children were sorry they had laughed at him. They had not known about his sick little sister. After she told them why Jimmy had chosen the doll, the children asked her to bring the fire engine to Jimmy.

The true meaning

I often think of Jimmy at Christmas time and usually feel a little selfish. Shall we start a "Jimmy" tradition this Christmas season? We can make the coming year a joyous occasion for all people.

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State investigates mortgage advertisements

The State of Illinois is cracking down on deceptive mortgage advertising in newspapers. The two major issues are: simple bait-and-switch, which occurs when lenders advertise nonexistent, below-market mortgage rates in order to entice consumers to call, then switch them to higher-priced programs; and deceptive footnotes in mortgage rate boxes that allow lenders to hide large fees.

"Hidden fees alone can cost an average homeowner \$2,000 to \$3,000. Chicago-area borrowers paid up to \$250 million in unnecessary fees, in 1997 alone," said John Skorburg, consulting economist for Chicago's Premier Mortgage Lenders. PML is an industry trade group of more than 25 area banks, thrifts and mortgage bankers that make 25 percent of the area's mortgages.

"I am personally convinced that there are people advertising deals, on a regular basis, that just don't exist. It's hard to prove, but we will find them," said Jack Schaffer, Illinois Commissioner of Banks and Real Estate. "Consumers have a right to honest information when they are getting a mortgage, and honesty should begin with advertising."

"We will speak to the newspapers, and request that they re-exam-

ine the foot-notes in these ads and in their own public service mortgage listings," explained Schaffer at a recent PML meeting. "We also are 'shopping' loan offices (those advertising questionable programs in the rate boxes) to see if there is bait-and-switch."

"Further, when a lender offers a rate significantly below what everyone else is offering, we are going to ask how many loans they made at that rate and what the source of the money was," said Schaffer. "That way, we can check to see if the rates and funds actually were available when they were advertised. If they were not, there will be penalties."

The investigation stemmed from complaints, by PML members and others, that many of the rate boxes were less than honest. "It is outrageous that rate boxes can be deliberately designed to deceive the public by using footnotes as loopholes to hide large fees, and to feature nonex-

istent low interest rates to attract borrowers," said James O'Brien, senior vice president mortgage lending for First American Bank.

"Some of the rate boxes allow lenders to advertise that they charge zero points, when in fact they do charge points but call them by another name," added O. Robert Brunner, executive vice president for

LaSalle Home Mortgage and past president of the Illinois Mortgage Bankers Assn. "One public service message, in a major Chicago daily, has a footnote that shows rates available only if you are able to close on the day the rate is quoted.

This is a practical impossibility."

"Consumers are being misled daily," said Greg Sachs, senior vice president of Chase Manhattan Mortgage, a division of the New York-based bank. "By the time they find out what the real costs are, they have probably invested hours of time and are emotionally committed to the lender. They may never know that

the charges they are paying are irregular."

"At best these rate ads and their footnotes are confusing and incomplete. At worst they are blatantly and deliberately deceptive," asserts Cliff Theriault, regional vice president with Commonwealth United Mortgage and past president of the Illinois Mortgage Bankers Assn.

Deception and fraud are increasing, and so are the crackdowns. "During the past two years we have closed down 40 mortgage lenders, as compared to two shutdowns for the previous seven years," said Commissioner Schaffer.

To protect themselves, consumers need to shop and compare rates, APRs and fees—all fees. Always get in writing whatever you are promised and told. Reliable lenders don't have any surprises waiting for you. They don't have hidden fees or higher rates at closing. You won't be told "A money source reneged on their commitment and your deal is different."

Fraudulent practices relating to mortgage rate advertising, hidden fees or advertised programs that are not available, may be reported to the Illinois Office of Banks and Real Estate, Consumer Services section, by calling (312) 793-3000.

Lake Zurich site completed for Cambridge Bank

The directors and officers of Cambridge Bank announces the completion of the bank's permanent location at 1100 Rand Rd. in Lake Zurich. The bank opened in April, 1996 and has been operating out of a temporary site.

The bank building has been under construction since the spring and the community has eagerly awaited its opening. Built in the Prairie architectural style, it has three floors. The loan department is located on the second floor. Teller services, a coffee bar, safe deposit boxes and personal banking are located on the main floor and the lower level has a community room that is available for groups in the community to use.

The bank is accessible from either Old Rand Rd., or from Rand Rd. Three drive-up teller lanes are open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays. The lobby is opened Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. In

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Breaking ground

Spring Grove Funeral Chapel broke ground on Oct. 27 for their first funeral home at 8103 Wilmot Road, a quarter mile north of Main Street. From left, Russ Karasch of Miller Funeral Home Design and Construction and Kimberly and Kurt Paleka, funeral director and owner, do the honors of breaking first ground. Spring Grove Funeral Chapel plans on opening in April of 1998.

Home sales up strongly for RE/MAX of Northern Illinois

The RE/MAX of Northern Illinois network reports that its closed sales volume for October was a robust 19.9 percent higher than in the same month last year. In addition, the number of transactions closed and the volume of new listings also increased for the month when compared to October 1996.

"Looking at year-to-year comparisons, October was the strongest month so far in 1997, in terms of a percentage increase in sales activity, for our network and probably for the Chicago real estate market as a whole," said Betty Hegner, co-founder and president

of RE/MAX of Northern Illinois, Inc. "However, given the decline in mortgage interest rates we've experienced in recent weeks, strong consumer confidence, low unemployment and low inflation, November and December activity might even show larger percentage gains over 1996 levels."

RE/MAX closed sales volume for October was \$690,762,222, up from \$576,155,437 during October 1996. Closed transactions rose to 4,237 from 3,791 last year, an 11.76 percent gain. New listing volume increased 3.56 percent from \$573,266,047 to \$593,657,211 this year.

Price of the average home sale transaction handled by RE/MAX in October was \$163,030, up from an average of \$152,201 a year ago.

"The Chicago area residential real estate market continues to enjoy an exceptional level of activity, especially since the mid-year mark," said Hegner. "Given the increase in average prices, we may be seeing the emergence of a seller's market. On the other hand, the substantial flow of new construction across the region tends to hold down price increases. So it may be that the increase in our average transaction price reflects only an increase in

sales activity for homes at the top end of the market. We won't know until we take a closer look at the numbers."

RE/MAX offices in the Northern Illinois Region have led the Chicago metropolitan regional real estate market each year since 1989 in closed sales volume. In 1996, closed sales volume exceeded \$7.2 billion. RE/MAX of Northern Illinois is part of the RE/MAX International network with more than 47,000 members operating from more than 2,800 independently owned and operated full-service real estate offices.

Success National Bank donates decorations budget to local shelters

In an effort to return to the true meaning of the holiday season, the staff of Success National Bank is donating the majority of its holiday decorations budget to four shelters in its market area.

"This is not an example of 'Bah, humbug,' but a realization that our over-commercialized society has gotten too far away from

what we think is the true spirit of the Christmas and Holiday season," said Saul Binder, President of Success National Bank. "Every year, it seems the decorations and the hoopla has to be bigger and better than the previous year. This year our staff looked at the budget and thought the money we were about to spend on decorations

would be much better spent helping people in need."

"We put up minimal decorations in our offices," Binder said, "and donated the rest of our budget to four community shelters: the Metropolitan Chicago Salvation Army, SHALVA, Lake County Unites for VIP (Violence Intervention and Prevention), and "Heart

for the Homeless" Catholic Charities Northwest Suburban Services."

"We also put up posters explaining what has happened to our usual decorations and the response from our customers has been great," Binder noted. "I suppose a few people might think we've lost a little of the holiday

spirit, but to us it feels like we've got more. It was a good thing to do."

Success National Bank is a full-service community bank with headquarters in Lincolnshire and additional offices in Deerfield, Libertyville, Lincolnwood, Arlington Heights, Northbrook and the Lincoln Park area of Chicago.

Four important keys to building wealth

Everyone needs to build financial security for their family. In reality, however, many people are doing little or nothing to reach their financial goals. According to statistics, Americans save less than virtually any major country in the world.

Almost everyone understands they need to take control of their money, but many don't understand some of the basic keys to building financial security. Here are four from the experts at Primerica Financial Services that will help you achieve your financial goals:

1. Pay Yourself First—This is good common sense. Before anyone else gets a claim to your money, pay yourself by putting a set amount aside in a savings or investment account. A standard rule of

thumb is to save ten percent of your income. Each time you get a raise, adjust your savings amount up to ten percent of that amount. If you can save more, that's even better, but ten percent will get you going in the right direction.

2. The Power Of Time—When it comes to achieving financial security, time is, without a doubt, the most important tool you have. It overcomes a million shortcomings: a modest income and even some poor habits. Time, combined with two other important elements, rate of return and consistency, is a powerful key to achieving financial security.

3. The Power Of Compounding—Compounding is one of the most important keys to wealth you will ever learn. With the power of compound interest at work for you,

you'll be amazed at how quickly a few hundred dollars becomes a thousand.

4. The Importance Of Rate Of Return—The impact of rate of return when combined with time is significant. If \$1,000 were deposited for a child at six percent for 65 years, the amount at the end of that time would be \$44,000. If the same \$1,000 was deposited at nine percent for the same length of time, the amount the child would receive would be \$270,000. The difference would be \$226,000. Now you see why the rate of return you receive on your savings or investment account is so important.

While there are many other "fine points" of money management, these four keys will get you started on the path to financial success.

Taussig clients.

Goodrich has more than 30 years of experience in the areas of failure analysis, corrosion studies, casting research and defect analysis, foundry processes, equipment fabrication and inspection, product liability, metallurgy, materials selection and forensic metallurgical engineering.

Abbott to repurchase stock; company declares dividend

The board of directors of Abbott Laboratories approved the purchase of up to 15 million shares of its common stock from time to time in the open market and declared a quarterly common dividend of 27 cents per share.

This marks the 296th consecutive dividend to be paid by Abbott since 1924. The cash dividend is payable Feb. 15, 1998 to shareholders of record at the close of business on Jan. 15.

Abbott Laboratories is a global,

diversified health care company devoted to the discovery, development, manufacture and marketing of pharmaceutical, diagnostic, nutritional and hospital products. The company employs 54,000 people and markets its products in more than 130 countries. In 1996, the company's sales and net earnings were \$11.0 billion and \$1.9 billion, respectively, with earnings per share of \$2.41.

Abbott's news releases are available on the company's web site at <http://www.abbott.com>.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Goodrich promoted

Bodycote Taussig, Inc. announces the promotion of George M. Goodrich of Wauconda, as manager of engineering services. In this

newly-created position, he will supervise the activities of the organization's engineering staff. His duties include delegating project assignments and overseeing technical communications with Bodycote

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TAYLOR: Unlucky Jimmy's story

ple by giving more of ourselves. Volunteer time to your favorite church or charity. Share some of your blessings with someone less fortunate. Take time to listen to someone who needs you. Let's make this year a year of giving.

Remember the real reason we celebrate Christmas is Christ's birth. Whether or not you are a

Christian by faith, Christ's life of giving, sharing and caring is a good example for all of us.

Don Taylor is the co-author of "Up Against the Wal-Marts." Questions may be sent to him in care of "Minding Your Own Business," P.O. Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105.

CAMBRIDGE: Permanent Lake Zurich facility completed

addition, an ATM drive-up is available to customers.

Cambridge Bank is a community bank, locally owned and managed, and offers Lake Zurich and its surrounding communities personalized service. It is a full service bank with something for everyone. Not only can customers find the traditional banking options; there are specialized services including The Prime Time Club for those qualified individuals who are 50 and over and The Cambridge Young Banker's Club for children up to the age of 18. A special banking service is offered to seniors in high school who may need a checking account. A wide range of electronic banking services, including banking by phone, are available. "My staff and I want to be accessible to anyone who comes in the bank looking for banking advice," said Michael J. Carlino, CEO and president of Cambridge Bank.

He continued, "We provide our customers with a lot of personalized service and they appreciate that. They always tell me how good they feel when our staff calls them by name. It has been gratifying to begin

a new banking tradition with this community."

Carlino is not new to the Lake Zurich business community. He was Executive Vice President and Cashier at the State Bank of Lake Zurich for 16 years, which became Comerica Bank during his tenure. He has held leadership roles in many organizations including the Rotary Club, the Chamber of Commerce, the Business Improvement Committee and the Ela Township Youth Committee.

He is very active in the community and serves on the YMCA Steering Committee; the Career Advisory Council at the High School, the Rotary Club and in various ministries at St. Francis de Sales Parish.

John J. Hunt is Cambridge Bank's Senior Vice President and Christine Gordon is Vice President/Cashier.

The Board of Directors for the bank are Bill George Stotis, Chairman of the Board; Michael J. Carlino, Chief Executive Officer and President; John Chordas; Peter C. Chreanthakes; Nicholas T. Leftakes; John N. Skoubis; George L. Welch and George A. Parhas.

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Adult Children of Alcoholics

On Friday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m., the Adult Children of Alcoholics support group will meet at Victory Memorial Hospital, 1324 North Sheridan Road, Waukegan. For more information, call 360-4090.

Dual Disorders Anonymous

On Saturday, Dec. 22, at 6 p.m., Dual Disorders Anonymous support group will meet at Victory Memorial Hospital, 1324 North Sheridan Road, Waukegan. The support group is designed for people diagnosed with both chemical dependency and mental health problems. Call 360-4082 for more information.

Blood pressure screenings

On Monday, Dec. 29, from 8 a.m. to noon, free blood pressure screenings and recordings will be offered in the Chapel at Victory Lakes Continuing Care Center, 1055 East Grand Avenue, Lindenhurst. For more information, call 356-5900.

Narcotics Anonymous

On Monday, Dec. 29, at 8 p.m., Narcotics Anonymous will meet at Victory Memorial Hospital, 1324 North Sheridan Road, Waukegan. No registration required. For more information, call 360-4090.

CONDELL**Living free**

Living Free, the Outpatient Addiction Recovery Program at Condell Medical Center, 801 S. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, provides an intensive outpatient program to help you understand the addiction and to develop and implement your own individualized program. Adhering to the strictest confidentiality, the program offers all counseling and treatment in a non-hospital location. Call Living Free at 816-7867 for further details.

Adult asthma

Adult Asthma Management Program at Condell Medical Center, 801 S. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, offers a two-session program to help adults learn about taking control of their asthma and becoming an active partner with their doctor in their treatment. Call Respiratory Services at 362-2905, ext. 5175 for further information.

LAKE COUNTY**AID/HIV support**

The Lake County Health Dept. sponsors ongoing information and support groups in Waukegan for persons who are HIV antibody positive and persons who have been diagnosed as having AIDS.

One group meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the lower level conference room in the Belvidere Medical Building, 2400 Belvidere Rd., Waukegan. The second group meets every Monday from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., also at the Belvidere Medical Building. For more information on these groups, call 360-6891 or 360-6520.

Home care

Lake County Health Dept.'s Home Health Care Services provides nurses; physical, speech and occupational therapists; a nutritionist; aides; and a social worker on a part-time basis to homebound Lake County residents under the care of a physician. Fees are paid by Medicare, Medicaid and private insurance. If none of these are available, fees are based on a client's ability to pay, with no one refused services due to an inability to pay. For more information, on how you can obtain this part-time health care at home, call 360-6717.

HEALTHWATCH

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County Board of Health elects officers for 1998

**Colin McRae**
President**Schulien**
Vice President**Tien C. Cheng**
Secretary

The Lake County Board of Health has elected the following officers for 1998: President - Colin McRae, of Mundelein; Vice President - John E. Schulien, D.D.S., of Libertyville; Secretary - Tien C. Cheng, M.D., FACC, FACP, of Libertyville.

Colin McRae has a long history of public services to the people of Lake County. Prior to his appointment to the Board of Health, he served on the Lake County Board from 1990 through 1994. During this time he also served as President of the Lake County Forest Preserve Board from 1992 to 1994. In addition, he was a Trustee for the Village of Mundelein from 1975 to 1977, followed by four terms as Mayor of Mundelein, from 1977 to 1989. Prior to his election as President of the Board of Health, he served as Chairman of its Budget Committee since 1991.

Dr. John Schulien also serves

on the County Board as a Representative from District 13 and is one of two County Board members on the Board of Health. He maintains a private dental practice in North Chicago, and has been a resident of Lake County since 1972, having moved to Libertyville after serving three years in the United States Dental Corps. In addition to his

work with the County Board of Health, Dr. Schulien is active in a number of civic organizations, including the Easter Seal Society, for which he has served on both the local and national levels, and the North Chicago Rotary Club, for which he is a Past President.

Dr. Tien Cheng, a native of Taiwan, studied cardiology at the Uni-

versity of Illinois. In 1975, he went into private practice in Waukegan, joining the medical staff of St. Therese Medical Center and Victory Memorial Hospital. He is Board Certified in Internal Medicine and Cardiovascular Disease, a Fellow of the American College of Physicians, the American College of Cardiology, the Council of Clinical Cardiology of the American Heart Association and a consulting member of the National Bureau for Information for Coronary Heart Disease Risk. As President of Cardiac Charities of Lake County in 1978, Dr. Cheng, along with other members, initiated a comprehensive county-wide Hypertension Detection incidence of cardiovascular disease. In 1993, he was elected president of the North American Taiwanese Medical Association, and in 1995 he was selected as an Honored member of the U.S. Registry's Who's Who among outstanding Americans.

Preventing migraines during the holiday season

For many people, the holidays are filled with the excitement of exchanging gifts and sharing meals with family and friends. But for some of the 23 million Americans who suffer from migraine, the holiday season brings worry that traditional holiday pleasures may trigger a migraine attack. Preventative treatment can help migraine sufferers manage their lives, especially during the holidays.

Migraine attacks can last from four to 72 hours and make it nearly

impossible to enjoy holiday activities. During the holiday season, frequent migraine sufferers should try to avoid headache triggers. Steering clear of alcohol, excessive amounts of caffeine and certain foods, such as chocolate, dairy products, nuts and fatty foods in general, may help to prevent migraine. In addition, sufferers should maintain a low stress level and consistent sleeping pattern.

"Migraine patients should be able to enjoy the holidays, too," said

Dr. Seymour Diamond, Executive Chairman of the National Headache Foundation. "We now have preventative migraine medications as well as abortive and pain relieving therapies that can effectively treat migraine headaches."

Preventative medications for migraine include beta blockers such as propranolol, antidepressants such as amitriptyline, calcium channel blockers, non-prescription pain relievers and the anticonvulsant, Depakote® (divalproex sodium). De-

pakote is indicated for the prevention of migraine headaches and has been shown to reduce the frequency of headaches in migraine sufferers. For some, especially those enduring disabling migraine headaches three or more times each month, preventative treatment is the key to managing their condition.

For more information on headache causes and treatments, call the National Headache Foundation at 1-800-843-2256 or visit their website at www.headaches.org.

Repetitive strain injuries on the rise due to computers

True or false? Computers and robotics have made life easier for American workers.

True and false. While electronic helpmates make work easier, the repetitive motion required to operate them can also cause painful injuries. Repetitive motion injuries, also called cumulative trauma disorders (CTDs), account for 60 percent of all job-related injuries.

CTDs develop from recurring trauma to nerves, tendons or ligaments. Jobs that require constant repetitive motion such as typing,

construction, or factory work place workers at high risk.

Carpal tunnel syndrome is a common CTD that affects as many as two million American workers. This condition is caused by repeated trauma to a major nerve that passes through the arm into the wrist. Carpal tunnel syndrome leads to numbness, tingling, and weakness in the thumb and forefinger, which may become so debilitating that patients can no longer work. Treatment consists of rest, wearing a wrist brace and splint,

and pain medication. Surgery is sometimes necessary.

Thoracic outlet syndrome (TOS) is another CTD that may be even more common than carpal tunnel syndrome. TOS occurs when repeated trauma compresses the nerve roots that travel from the neck into the arm. TOS causes pain in the arms and shoulders, tingling sensations in the fingers, and weakness of grip or other hand movements. Treatment for this disabling condition includes physical therapy, pain medication and surgery in some cases.

Although TOS is widespread, it is not well understood outside of specialized medicine, according to experts who took part in the recent Second International Conference on Neurovascular Compression and Cumulative Trauma Disorders in Boston.

Experts at the conference warned that treatment for one type

of CTD can be ineffective or even harmful for another. "Physical therapy required for TOS won't help patients with carpal tunnel syndrome and can cause damage to patients with tendinitis, another CTD," said Rebecca Rotenberg, MD, who co-chaired the conference.

"Lack of a team approach to detection and treatment is the major reason why treatment today fails in a high number of CTD patients," Dr. Rotenberg said. "Teams should include the patient, his or her primary care physician, medical specialists, and the patient's employer. An ergonomist, or expert in workplace design, should also be part of the team to make changes in the work environment that will prevent CTDs from recurring."

The annual conference is the only forum that brings together the different types of medical specialists who treat CTDs.

Mobile Health schedule set

The Lake County Health Department Mobile Health Service, supported by the participating townships, will be at the following locations: Dec. 23: St. Mary's Parish Center (sponsored by Shields Township), 201 E. Illinois Road, Lake Forest, 9-11:30 a.m., 234-0802; and Dec. 22: Harry Knigge Civic Center (sponsored by Ela Township), 95 E. Main Street, Lake Zurich, 9-11:30 a.m., 438-7823, (no charge to senior citizens residing in Ela Township).

Available services consist of a physician for diagnosis and treatment of medical problems and school and sports physical examinations. Blood pressure testing and health counseling by a registered nurse are also available. Township residents unable to pay for those services requiring a fee should contact their township supervisor.

For more information, call 872-4780, or the appropriate township office.

Scholarship available at CLC

The Lake County Health Improvement Association has donated a \$500 scholarship for an eligible College of Lake County student enrolled in a health career program who intends to practice in Illinois.

The scholarship is open to both full- and part-time students with a minimum 2.0 grade point average.

Interested students must submit a CLC Scholarship application and an official college transcript, and write a brief essay describing their career goals and need for the scholarship. Applications are available in the CLC financial aid office, room B114. The deadline is Jan. 9.

For complete information, call 847-543-2062.

Robert D. Levin, M.D., board-certified in internal medicine and medical oncology, recently joined the oncology physician team with the Cancer Treatment Centers of America program at Midwestern Regional Medical Center, 2520 E. Lishia Ave., Zion.

Dr. Levin was most recently chief of hematology and oncology at Mount Sinai Hospital in Chicago, and is an associate profes-

**Levin:**
Joins oncology team

sor at the Chicago Medical School in North Chicago.

He received a medical degree from the Chicago Medical School, and completed an internship at General Rose Memorial Hospital in Denver, Colorado. He was a resident at Northwestern University in Chicago, where he also completed a fellowship in hematology and oncology.

American Heart Association issues winter weather warning

Just as water pipes freeze and crack during frigid temperatures, your heart is also vulnerable to the ravages of the Old Man Winter.

The American Heart Association warns that cold weather can cause your heart's "plumbing" to constrict and make the blood "slushier," increasing the risk of heart attack and stroke.

"It's natural for some of the arteries to narrow a little with cold temperatures. It's how they maintain body temperature. But it can spell danger to a person whose arteries are already narrowed," said David Coke, M.D., president of the American Heart Association of Metropolitan Chicago.

Some researchers have found that the stress of cold temperature can cause constriction of the arteries in the heart. Cold temperature can also increase blood pressure and alter blood clotting. These factors can be involved in angina (chest pain), heart attack and stroke.

Common sense tells us to bundle up when it is blustery outside. Exposure to icy winds, snow and freezing rain steals the body's heat. The wind is especially dangerous since it strips away the warm layer of air around the body.

To keep warm, wear layers of clothing. This allows air to be trapped

between layers, forming a sort of protective insulation. Also, wear a hat or head scarf. Much of the body's heat can be lost through the head. And ears are especially prone to frostbite. Keep your hands and feet warm, as they tend to lose heat rapidly.

As we get older, the body's "thermostat" may not be as effective as it once was, making it more difficult to adjust to the cold weather. "Because elderly people seem to be relatively insensitive to moderately cold conditions, they can start to suffer hypothermia without knowing they are in danger," said Cooke.

Hypothermia is a drop in body temperature to a subnormal level - 95 degrees Fahrenheit or less - and is a potentially fatal condition. It occurs when a person's body cannot produce enough energy to keep the internal body temperature warm enough. Symptoms are slowed breathing and heartbeat, lack of coordination, confusion or feeling sleepy. Heart failure is the cause of death in most cases of hypothermia.

The American Heart Association warns that people with coronary heart disease (or those at high risk) should avoid sudden exertion, such as lifting a heavy shovelful of snow. Even walking through heavy, wet snow or snowdrifts can strain the heart.

If the snow must be shoveled, it

should be done by someone who is physically fit and dressed warmly. People should not assume that women are immune to heart attack and, therefore, it is safer for them to shovel snow than for men. After menopause, risks for women are comparable to those for men. People who are known to have coronary heart disease should have a recommendation from their doctor as to how much physical exertion they can safely undertake.

If you must shovel snow or be out in the cold, remember these signs of heart attack:

- Uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of the chest lasting more than a few minutes.
- Pain spreading to the shoulder, neck or arms.
- Chest discomfort with lightheadedness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath.
- People with high blood pressure have an increased risk of stroke. The warning signs are:
- Sudden weakness or numbness of the face, arm or leg on one side of the body.
- Sudden dimness or loss of vision, particularly in one eye.
- Loss of speech, or trouble talking or understanding speech.
- Sudden severe headaches with no known or apparent cause.
- Unexplained dizziness, unsteadiness or sudden falls, especially along with any of the previous symptoms.

Avoid alcoholic beverages if you are planning to go out in the cold. While providing an initial feeling of warmth - caused by expanding blood vessels - alcohol draws heat away from the body's vital organs.

For more information about being active in the winter as well as other ways to reduce the risk of heart disease and stroke, call 1-800-AHA-USA1.

Letters welcome

Letters to the editor are welcome. They should be on topics of general interest, approximately 250 words or less. All letters must be signed, and contain a home address and telephone number. The editor reserves the right to condense all letters.

Send letters to:
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Attn: Letters to the Editor
30 S. Whitney St.
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A Nutrition Research Study at
Cancer Treatment Centers of America
at Midwestern Regional Medical Center

**Diet Modification and Breast Cancer:
The Women's Intervention Nutrition Study
(WINS) is recruiting 2,500 women to participate.**

You may be eligible if you:

- Are age 48 to 78
- Had surgery for localized invasive breast cancer in the past year
- Take Tamoxifen (Nolvadex) or treated with chemotherapy or both

The National Cancer Institute and the American Health Foundation are sponsors of the WINS study at cancer centers nationwide. This study will investigate whether or not changing what you eat plays a role in breast cancer recurrence.

It's free to join.

All women who qualify to participate will have their current diet analyzed by a nutritionist and will be randomly assigned to one of two diet groups. If you would like to find out whether or not you qualify for the study, please speak to your doctor or call Cancer Treatment Centers of America at Midwestern Regional Medical Center at 1-800-268-0786.



2501 Emmaus Avenue Zion, Illinois 60099
The cancer program at Midwestern is managed by Cancer Treatment Centers of America.

Four steps to a happy healthy holiday season

The holiday season is here, with lots of good food... and lots of calories. Contrary to popular belief, it is not impossible to keep that waistline from expanding. Here are four steps from the Lake County Health Department to make holiday time a healthy time:

1. Be active, incorporate activities such as walking, skiing and skating into your holiday plans.

2. Eat in moderation. It's okay to have your favorite foods during the holiday season. Just try to balance out your day with some lower fat, lower calorie choices, too.

3. Be consistent. Maintain a regular schedule of eating patterns so that you will not be famished at any part of the day, as this could lead to binge eating.

4. Plan, plan, plan. Planning out your meals and snacks as much as

possible will leave you prepared for the holiday meals and treats.

Planning is especially important in keeping holidays healthful. When you are traveling or entertaining, have healthful snacks on hand. If you plan ahead of time, you can be prepared with appropriate lower fat, lower calorie choices.

When preparing holiday meals, follow the guidelines of the new food guide pyramid, which recommends grains, fruits and vegetables as the base of your diet. Try to focus your cooking, as well as your eating on these three groups.

One last tip, especially for those who are baking or cooking this holiday season. Hold off on the sampling of our recipes as you prepare them. This will give you a great head start on watching your calorie intake during this holiday season.

Volunteers needed for Multiple Sclerosis Walk

The 10th anniversary MS WALK will take place on Sunday, April 19, with eleven routes planned by the Chicago-Greater Illinois Chapter, National Multiple Sclerosis Society, for northern Illinois.

The McHenry route needs volunteers to assist the planning committee in details of the local walk which will follow the Prairie Trail beginning in Crystal Lake. McHenry County MS WALK participants will be among a projected 10,000 walkers in the MS chapter area who will join in the fight against MS, the number one

disabling disease of young adults.

There is a wide variety of volunteer opportunities available such as securing sponsorship, organizing food and entertainment, developing promotional ideas and assisting with logistics on the day of the event. All potential McHenry County MS WALK participants willing to assist the committee are welcome to get in touch with Sally Elstad, events manager at the MS Chapter, at 312/922-8000, ext. 174. There are volunteer jobs for everyone and every little bit helps.

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HUGHES

Harry R. Hughes, age 76 of Wauconda
Arr: Ahlgren and Sons Funeral Home,
Lake Zurich

SCHELL

Barbara J. Schell (nee Butler), age 77 of
Long Grove
Arr: Ahlgren and Sons Funeral Home,
Lake Zurich

MIXA

Josephine A. Mixa, age 84 of Wauconda
Arr: Ahlgren and Sons Funeral Home,
Lake Zurich

JOHNSON

Alice R. Johnson, age 81 of Gurnee
Arr: Marsh Funeral Home of Lincolnshire

GLEMBOSKI

Anna S. Gemboski, age 82 of Gurnee
Arr: Marsh Funeral Home of Gurnee

VERGIN

Rudolf Virgin, Sr., age 95 of Mundelein
Arr: Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, Libertyville

ARNOLD

Anthony J. 'Tony' Arnold, age 93 of
Libertyville
Arr: McMurrough Chapel, Libertyville

PETERSON

Robert F. Peterson, age 74 of Libertyville
Arr: Burnett-Dane Funeral Home,
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Ruth Ann Price

Age 76 of Round Lake Beach, passed away on Sunday, Dec. 14, 1997 at the Condell Medical Center, Libertyville. Born on Jan. 13, 1921 in Chicago, she has been a resident of Round Lake Beach since 1972 formerly of Grayslake. Veteran of the U.S. Army serving as T-4 Sergeant, past member of the American Legion of Round Lake Post 1170 and AmVets. Mrs. Price retired from Abbott Labs after 25 years of service.

Ruth leaves her daughter, Maureen C. Beadle of Wauconda; her sons, Edward (Bonnie) Price of North Carolina, Richard Price of San Diego, Calif. and Michael (Kathy) Price of Round Lake Beach; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents.

Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated at the St. Gilbert Catholic Church, Grayslake with Rev. Thomas Reformat, officiating.

Interment followed at the Highland Park Cemetery, Libertyville.

Friends visited at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Ltd., Grayslake.

Memorials may be given to the Save-a-Pet Foundation.

Lucille Ladato (nee Franz)

Age 84, formerly of Chicago Heights. Beloved wife of the late Dr. Victor Lodato. Loving mother of Josephine (Clifford) Schonberg and Marlene (John H.) Moulis. Proud grandmother of Kenneth Green, Warren (Norine) Moulis and Victoria (Robert) McKay. Great grandmother of Neil, Davin, Haily, Bobby and Brian. Dear sister of Ann DesChamps and Dorothy Karmis. Fond aunt of many nieces and nephews.

Friends visited at the Blake-Lamb Funeral Home, Chicago Heights.

Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice by the Sea in Boca Raton, Fla.

Edith Baldassano (nee Bello)

Age 68 of Fox Lake and a former resident and 30 year business owner in Lake Villa, died Monday, Dec. 8, 1997 in her home. She was born in Havana, Cuba on Sept. 14, 1929 to Innocente and Maria Bello (nee Martinez). Mrs. Baldassano owned and operated the Doll House Beauty Salon in Lake Villa for over 30 years before her retirement, and had been a member of the National Cosmetologist Assn., The Lake Villa Chamber of Commerce, The American Businesswomen's Assn., St. Bede Catholic Church in Ingleside, and had been a member of the Church's Women's Club. She was a member of the American Cancer Society-Look Good Feel Better Program.

Survivors include, two sons, Nicholas W. (Nancy) Baldassano of Fox Lake and Robert (Jean) Bello of Ingleside; one daughter, Luci (Michael) Grischa of Fox Lake with whom she made her home; by her brothers, Ramon (Lila) Bello of Hialeah, Fla., Robert (Olga) Bello of Villa Park, and Osvaldo (Mimi) Bello of Florida; by her sisters, Victoria Bello of Coral Springs, Fla., and Nery (Juan Antonio) Neyra of Hialeah, Fla.; her grandchildren, Gina Baldassano of DeKalb, Angel Baldassano of Florida, and Nicholas Baldassano of Umah, Ariz., Michael, Tyler and Rene Grischa, all of Fox Lake. She is preceded in death by her husband, Nicholas J. Baldassano on June 24, 1993 and by three brothers, Pastor, Luis and Rene Bello and by a sister, Bea.

Friends of the family called at the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home, Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake)

A Catholic Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Bede Catholic Church in Ingleside.

Burial was at Ascension Cemetery, Libertyville.

The family will appreciate Masses through the Handmaids of the Precious Blood, 724 W. Petite Lake Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046 in her memory.

Linda Jean Bersie

Age 45 of Antioch, passed away Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1997 at Lake Forest Hospital. She was born Sept. 25, 1952 in Port Hueneme, Calif. She has lived in Lake County for many years and in Antioch since 1977. She was a member of St. Stephen Lutheran Church and the PM & L Theater in Antioch. Linda worked as a secretary for Baxter Health Care in Deerfield and loved to collect antiques and work with ceramics. On June 10, 1972, she married Larry D. Bersie in Lincolnshire.

Survivors include her husband, Larry; two daughters, Dana Cristine Bersie and Robyn Michelle Bersie both at home; her parents, Darold and Helen Johnson of 29 Palms, Calif.; two brothers, Richard (Ginger) Johnson of Marengo and William (Allison) Johnson of Aliso Viejo, Calif.; two sisters, Susan (Tom) Carter of Kenosha, Wisc. and Darlene McGee of Apple Valley, Calif.

Funeral services were held at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Antioch with Pastor Charles Miller, officiating.

Interment was at Highland Memorial Park, Libertyville.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Those desiring may make contributions to the American Cancer Society, in her memory.

Christy D. Holloway

Age 5 of Round Lake Beach, passed away Thursday, Dec. 11, 1997 at the Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. She was born Jan. 22, 1992 in Barrington. Christy attended the Laramont School in Gages Lake.

Christy will be sadly missed by her parents, Rene (Sherry) (nee Schaffrath) Holloway of Round Lake Beach;

maternal grandparents, Donald (Carolyn) Schaffrath of Crystal Lake; paternal grandmother, Betty Holloway of Waukegan and her aunt, Dawn Schaffrath of Lake in the Hills. She is preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Claude on Sept. 26, 1993.

Funeral services were held at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Ltd., Grayslake with the Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman of the Calvary Presbyterian Church of Round Lake officiating.

Interment was private.

Memorials may be given to the Laramont School, 18182 W. Gages Lake Rd., Gages Lake, IL 60030 in Christy's memory.

Edward J. Havelka

Age 74, died in Orlando, Fla. on Dec. 2, 1997 after a lengthy illness. Ed was born and raised in the Fox Lake area, attending local schools and graduated from Grant High in 1940. Ed attended Carroll College before entering the Armed Forces in 1942. He was a twice decorated combat veteran of World War II having served in the U.S. Army in the European Theater. Edward's beloved wife, Josie preceded him in death in 1996; they were married in 1952.

In 1959, Edward and his wife, Josie moved to Big Pine Key, Fla., where they developed the Tropical Bay Subdivision. While living on Big Pine Key, Ed worked on the movie PT 109 as a pilot flying a Japanese plane. In 1970, Ed and Josie moved to Franklin, NC, where they continued to develop land.

Edward is survived by numerous cousins and special friends.

He will be missed by many for his intellectual contribution to society, his love of nature, and his sense of humor.

Arrangements were made by the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home, Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake).

Pearl Jeanette Lewis

Age 86 of Lake Villa, passed away at home on Thursday, Dec. 11, 1997. Mrs. Lewis was born on Aug. 15, 1909 in Milwaukee, Wisc. and has been a resident of Lake Villa for over 45 years. She was avid in knitting and gardening and a music teacher at Music Manor in Round Lake.

Mrs. Lewis leaves her daughter, Irene (Otto) Menolino of Genoa City, Wisc.; four sons, the late Raymond Jr. (Betty) of Lincolnshire, James D. (Shirley) of Lake Villa, Robert (Erna) of Wisconsin Dells, Wisc.; Richard (Greta) of Kenosha, Wisc.; 10 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren and two great, great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Lewis, Sr. in 1981.

Funeral Services were held at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Ltd., Grayslake with the Rev. Darrell Dendorff, officiating.

Interment was privately held at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Libertyville.

Mary Elizabeth DeHaan

Age 80 of Grayslake, passed away Thursday, Dec. 11, 1997 at Winchester House in Libertyville. She was born June 27, 1917 in Elkhorn, West Va. and had been a resident of Grayslake the past 40 years and was a dear friend to many in the Grayslake area; formerly of Chicago. She was a member of the United Protestant Church of Grayslake and had been the corresponding secretary for the Grayslake Historical Society, and was a former business owner of Mary's Grayslake Laundromat for over 15 years.

She is survived by one daughter, Marietta (George) Moore of Carrier Mills; two sons, Richard C. (Marian) DeHaan of North Chicago and Peter L. (Judy) DeHaan of Hinsdale. Also surviving are seven grandchildren; four great grandchildren and one sister, Pearl (Michael) Nativo of Summit. She is preceded in death by her husband, Peter Charles DeHaan in 1975, grand daughter, Angela Dawn (Moore) Harris; three sisters, and two brothers.

Funeral services were held at Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Ltd., Grayslake.

Interment was at Avon Centre Cemetery, Grayslake.

Memorials are suggested to the Grayslake Historical Society in her memory.

Marie A. Winslow

Age 78 of Salem, Wisc., passed away Thursday, Dec. 11, 1997 at Brookside Care Center, Kenosha, Wisc. She was born Oct. 15, 1919, the daughter of the late Henry and Theresa (Didier) Becker. She moved to Half Day in 1951 and later to Salem, Wisc., in 1988. She was a member of St. Peter Church of Antioch. Mrs. Winslow was also a very active member and former president of the Chicagoland Bichon Frise Club. She raised show dogs for over 50 years and was an accomplished china painter. She worked as a waitress for 28 years at Ricketts Restaurant in Wheeling, retiring 13 years ago. On Jan. 23, 1941, she married Sibley F. Winslow in Chicago and he preceded her in death on May 17, 1994.

Survivors include one son, Don (Cindy) of Salem, Wisc.; five daughters, Janice (Daniel) DeWaal of Mundelein, Laura (Lenny) Beckman of Third Lake, Theresa (Bill) Meade and Diane Schuld, both of Salem, Wisc. and one sister, Clare Mae Malcolm of Schaumburg. She was the grandmother of Edward, David, Shawn, Tiffany, Kathy, Angela, Toni, Michelle, Nathan, Kristine, Phillip, Gary, Andrew, Shauna, Patrick, Melissa and Ryan and the great grandmother of five. Besides her husband, she is preceded in death by one infant son, Timothy.

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Funeral services with Mass of Christian Burial were held at St. Peter Church, Antioch.

Interment was at Millburn Cemetery, Millburn.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Gloria Jean Pekelsma

Age 57 of Third Lake, passed away Sunday, Dec. 14, 1997 at her residence after a 10 year battle with Breast Cancer. She was born in Dec. 18, 1939 in Chicago and had made her home in Third Lake since 1960. She volunteered her time at the Grayslake High School and turned that into a permanent position for over 20 years. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and dear friend to many.

She leaves her husband, Glenn to whom she was united in marriage for 37 years. Her son, Jeffrey (Robin) Pekelsma of Bristol, Wisc.; daughters, Christine (Thomas) Hanchin of Lafayette, Colo., Jennifer (Steven) Kane of Grayslake; her grandchildren, Alex Jeffrey and Allisyn Jean; sisters, Patricia McCarthy and Mary Lou Kubitz and brother, Paul Tenebrini.

Mass of the Resurrection was at St. Gilbert Catholic Church in Grayslake with Rev. Robert Beaven, officiating.

Interment followed at the Warren Cemetery in Gurnee.

Friends visited at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Ltd., Grayslake.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Lake Forest Hospital-Oncology Unit.

Grace E. Donohue

Age 83, formerly of Jenkintown and Rydal, Penn., died at Deutsches Altenheim in West Roxbury, Mass., where she had resided since July, 1993. Born in Philadelphia on Jan. 11, 1914, she was the daughter of Conrad L. and Grace S. Hufnall Schaefer. Mrs. Donohue was a registered nurse and was an accomplished singer and a stalwart of the church choir of the Immaculate Conception Church in Jenkintown, Penn. for many years and she was widely known for her cooking and baking

*Sometimes an old-fashioned song
Brings us a thought of you;
Sometimes a flower as we pass along,
Or a sky that is azure blue;
Or a silver
lining in the clouds,
When the sun is peeping through.
All of these things, make us think of you.*

skills. She was also a talented painter, both in watercolors and oils, from her youngest days. She and her late husband, were accomplished woodworkers, with a particular interest in miniatures. They constructed several architecturally authentic miniature-scale houses, doing all work by hand or using miniature power tools. While Mr. Donohue concentrated on the structures themselves, Mrs. Donohue fashioned the interior furnishings, including furniture, draperies, upholstery and rugs.

She is survived by two sons, Thomas J. Donohue, Jr. of Pittsfield, Mass. and Robert P. Donohue of San Antonio, Tex.; two daughters, Bonnie Donohue Feinstein of West Roxbury, Mass. and Kathleen A. Green of Great Lakes; nine grandchildren, a sister, Eleanor Krivin of Encino, Calif. and a brother, Robert C. Schaefer of Santa Maria, Calif. She is preceded in death by a brother, John E. Schaefer and sister, Dorothy S. Hitchins, both of Philadelphia.

Friends visited at the McGoldrick Funeral Home, Jenkintown, Penn.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at the Immaculate Conception Church in Jenkintown, Penn.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions in her memory be made to any organization which supports research into the causes and treatment for Alzheimers disease.

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: Bolland Auto Sales
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR
TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 32837 North Sears Blvd.,
Grayslake, IL 60030, (847) 543-0777.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE
ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING
OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: David Bolland, 18680 W. Hwy.
120, Grayslake, IL 60030 (847) 548-8078. Bryan Bolland, 361
Charlson Dr., Red Wing, MN 55066. (612) 388-1788.

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This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/Bryan Bolland, November 21, 1997

/s/David Bolland, November 21, 1997

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 21st day of November, 1997.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/Kellien S. Martin
Notary Public

Received: November 24, 1997

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

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December 19, 1997

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: Creative

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ACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 26208
Reed, Ingleside, IL 60040, (847) 740-
2797.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR
RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCT-
ING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS:
Diana L. Madl, 26208 Reed, Ingleside,
IL 60040, (847) 740-2797. Lori M.
Geier, P.O. Box 477, Poplar Grove, IL
60065, (815) 765-2763. Debra A.
Rice, 614 Spyglass Court, North
Aurora, IL 60542, (630) 761-1978.

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/s/Diana L. Madl, November 8, 1997

/s/Lori M. Geier, November 8, 1997

/s/Debra A. Rice, November 8, 1997

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 8th day of November, 1997.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/Donald E. Barsotti

Notary Public

Received: November 24, 1997

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

1297A-1452-FL

December 19, 1997

PUBLIC NOTICE PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS

Public notice is hereby given pursuant to a Preliminary Site Plan on file in the Village Clerk's office of the Village of Fox Lake, that a public hearing will be held on January 14, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall, Fox Lake, Illinois, to hear the Petition of Michael W. Gantar and Raymond D. DeMartini, owner of the following described real estate to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2 in Anderberg's Subdivision of a part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 45 North, Range 9, East of the Third Principal Meridian, According to the Plat Thereof, Recorded June 22, 1904 as Document 95353 in Book F of Plats, Page 67 in Lake County, Illinois.

Location of the property is: End of Arthur

The common address is: 161 & 163 Arthur

Petitioner is requesting the following:

Rezoning to R-2
Said Preliminary site plan is available for examination in the Village Clerk's office at the Village Hall in Fox Lake, Illinois.

All interested persons are invited to attend said hearing and be heard.

Respectfully submitted,
Ron Stochl, Chairman
Fox Lake Zoning Board of Appeals
Dated at Fox Lake, Illinois

This 5th day of December, 1997

1297C-1493-FL

December 19, 1997

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(4) Janette Hoffman (unit #2), 203 W. Hawthorne, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073

(5) Ronda Gebhardt (unit #50), 4329 Centennial Ct., apt. #2, Gurnee, IL 60031

(6) Cliff and Lucy Cox (unit #22), 520 Greenwood, Round Lake, IL 60073

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1297B-1479-RL

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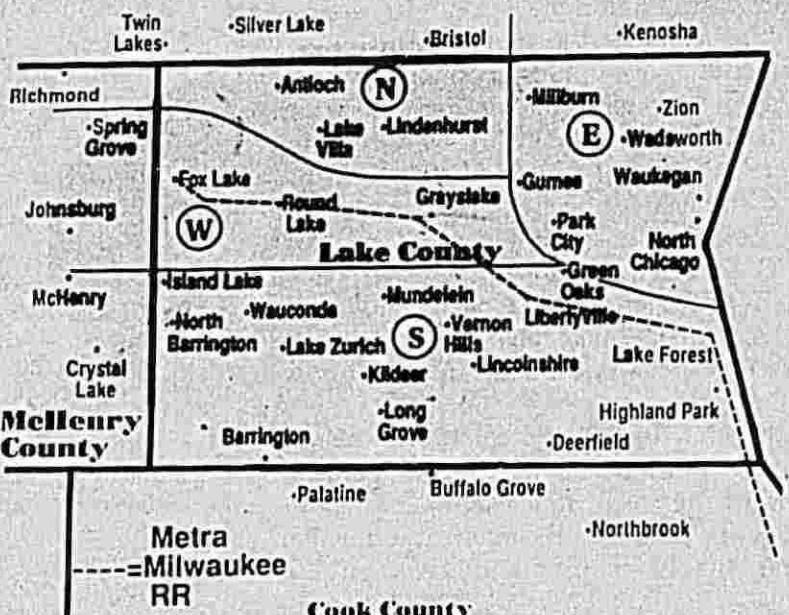
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K.W. - Fox Lake
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IF YOU HAVE FURNITURE TO SELL, A car, or appliances, if you are having a Garage Sale or if you have a house to sell or apartment to rent. Call Lisa before 10am Wednesday to place your ad here. (847) 223-8161 ext. 140.

MODEL HOME FURNITURE. Excess and unclaimed sofas, loveseats, chairs, tables. DININGROOM SETS, BEDROOM SETS, LEATHERS, etc. (847) 329-4119.

MUST SEE! SOLID OAK ENTERTAINMENT CENTER. Antique, one piece unit, custom made, one of a kind. Asking \$800/best. (847) 872-1672 ask for Todd.

QUEEN SIZE SLEEPER SOFA, like new, \$700. (847) 587-5117 after 4:30pm.

SOFA, LOVESEAT SET, earth tones with oak trim, \$395. (847) 740-4033.

344 Jewelry

DISTINGUISHED COMBO WEDDING/ENGAGEMENT RING SET, 1/4 carat diamond with 4-diamonds around main diamond. Brand new, never worn. Paid \$1,000, asking \$700/best. (847) 740-0380 ask for Nick.

WEDDING SET: SOLITARE 3/4kt. round diamond in plain setting. Appraised at \$2,000. Best offer. Call after 7pm (847) 746-3452.

349 Clothing

WEDDING DRESS DIAMOND COLLECTION, bridal dress, size 16. White, cathedral length train, off the shoulder dress. Long sleeves, beautiful with sequins and pearls. Brand new headpiece and veil. Paid \$2,000, first \$500 takes all. Call Melodi (414) 889-8414.

350 Miscellaneous

BEANIE BABIES!!! ALL AVAILABLE!!! We ship anywhere!!! Angela1022@aol.com (812) 256-6920.

GET A COLLEGE DEGREE IN 27 DAYS: BS/MS/MBS/Ph.D etc. including graduation ring, transcript, diploma. Yes, it's real, legal, guaranteed and accredited. For free packet call: 1-800-689-8647.

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PINBALL MACHINES AND OTHER AMUSEMENTS reconditioned for your home. Dial (847) Pin-Ball.

QUEEN SIZE BED, credenza with mirrors and armoire, \$350. 2-stealcase 30"x60" desks with returns, \$225 each. (10) 48"x60" steelcase office dividers, \$1,000. Lane cedar hope chest, \$75. (4) girls bikes, \$25-\$50 each. Mens Schwinn LeTour Racer, \$100. (847) 356-0298.

WOLFF TANNING BEDS. TAN AT HOME. Buy DIRECT and SAVE! Commercial/home units from \$199. Low monthly payments. FREE color catalog. Call today 1-800-842-1310.

354 Medical Equip Supplies

DIABETIC SUPPLIES AS SEEN ON TV. WITH MEDICARE OR HEALTH INSURANCE, YOU MAY BE ABLE TO RECEIVE DIABETIC SUPPLIES AT A GREAT REDUCED COST. 800-590-4217.

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ELECTRIC ORGAN, PADDED bench, music rack, instruction books. Play tunes immediately. Great for all ages. \$60. 34"wx15-1/2"dx32-1/2". (847) 566-0990.

LOWREY ORGAN WITH Magic Genie Keys, excellent condition. A must see. \$450/best. (414) 694-5979.

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PIANO YOUNG CHANG ebony upright piano with damper, beautiful, must sacrifice, \$1,800. (847) 229-8335.

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Slot Machines WANTED- ANY CONDITION- or Parts. Also JUKE BOXES, MUSIC BOXES, Nickelodeon and Coke Machines. Paying CASH! Call (630) 985-2742.

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DELTA DC-33, 13"X5.9" thickness planer with mobile stand, \$750. (414) 279-3739 after 7pm.

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THREE BEDROOM 2-BATH home with dual level deck and wood burning fireplace. Located in the Galena Territory Resort, Galena, Illinois. Walking distance to the new General Golf Course. Spacious garage and black top driveway. Excellent for year round living or rental property. \$139,900. (847) 726-0219.

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GAGES LAKE, LAKEFRONT, 3-bedroom, 2-bath tri-level with 1-1/2 car detached garage. New exposed aggregate patio and sidewalk. Deck over water with shore station, \$214,000. (847) 548-6650.

SELL A HOME/BUY A HOME. If selling, we have a number of interested buyers. If interested in purchasing you may qualify for as little as 3% down. Servicing IL & WI. Jim Davis (800) 747-5547.

TWIN LAKES AREA DUPLEX, 2-bedroom, large kitchen and diningroom, full basement, 2-1/2 car garage each side, all appliances, C/A, 1yr. old. Asking \$185,000. Tim (414) 539-3314, Chris (414) 539-3174.

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SWEET, SHAGGY "MOLLIE"

"MOLLIE" is a young, one year old female, black/brown chow/australian shepherd mix. This delightful

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Classy turnkey \$\$ maker,
2000sf, will train. \$65K.
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Restaurant & Party House For Sale by Owner.
Lake Ontario setting, 18ac, seats 275, living qtrs upstairs. Estate forces sales. 35 yrs in the business. Finc'g avail. Assessed for \$600K, askg \$385K. Turnkey operation. Call Margaret 315-483-9154

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STORE OR OFFICE SPACE on busy Rollins Road, 1,160sq.ft., \$1,200/month utilities included. Lease required. Terms first and last months rent plus security deposit. For information call (847) 546-4423 days, after 6pm (847) 546-0411.

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560 Vacant Lot/Acreage

ONE ACRE LOT, Bayview Farms Subdivision, McHenry. All new Subdivision, High/dry. \$47,500. (847) 587-7008.

568 Out Of Area Property

NORTHWEST WISCONSIN 45 minutes west of Hayward. Year round cabin on 4.11 wooded acres. 2-bedrooms, 1-bath, modern kitchen with microwave, new walk-out basement with slider, 2nd bath roughed in. Screened porch. Lake rights with private beach and pier on a crystal clear private lake with sugar sand shoreline. Area is perfect for all types year round activity, \$50,000. Call Sandy Swanson at Vacationland Realty (715) 466-2233.

569 Out Of Area Property

MICHIGAN
For Sale by Owner, 70ac plus/minus acres. Build your own log home in the country, lg stand of mature pines, hard & soft wds, spring fed pond, paved rd 2mi to town. Hespira, Fremont area, \$90K cash. 616-834-5705

ANDERSON, IN
For Lease by Owner. Industrial space for lease. 80K sf, clean, dry, exc floors. Gas radiant ht. 2 indoor loading docks. Convenient to I-69 N of Indy. \$1.95/sf. For info call 800-798-7988

WISCONSIN
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KENOSHA, WI
For Sale by Owner/Builder. Carol Beach Estates brand new tri-level, approx 2000sf, 4BR/2 full BA, AC, frpl, 2.5c-att-gar, walk to Lake Mich/nature preserve. 5 mins to IL border. Too much to list! Must see! \$147,900, finc'g avail, 3% dn to qualified buyer. Markovich Builders 414-694-0631

570 Cemetery Lots

FOR SALE THREE LOTS in Lakeside Cemetery, Libertyville. Negotiable. Call 1-800-772-8548 ask for Michelle or Dean.

704 Recreational

1976 DODGE SHASTA 20ft. Motorhome, 36,000 original miles, runs perfect. \$5,600/best. Call after 2pm ask for Don (847) 546-1719.

TOYOTA 1985 RV, 46K original miles, fully self-contained, no rust, excellent condition, \$8,500. (847) 782-9803.

708 Snowmobiles/ATV's

SNOWMOBILE 1997 POLARIS ULTRA SPX, 1yr. manufacturers warranty, 1,400 miles, \$6,200/best. (847) 263-6094.

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PALM SPRINGS, CA
Area. HUD Homes from \$60K. EZ Terms, Special REO. Agent 714-675-0278

TENNESSEE (Eastern)-144 ac. Great for Retirement Retreat, Horses or Cattle, 1 mi. river frontage, 5 ponds, 2 barns, 3br, 1bth home. 1900' SOD landing strip, 30 mi. Gatlinburg, \$495K. Other properties avail. info. Roy Roderick Rhy (423) 639-6395 or (423) 639-3982. www.royroderickrealty.com

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At The Beach
January Special.
3 bedroom, 2.5 ba's.
View of the Gulf of Mexico.
812-336-1117 days
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Tavern/Restaurant-Land, bldg & business. Good cash flow. \$210K. Contract/terms avail. RE/MAX PREMIER, Daryl 1-888-647-6715 (toll free).

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INVESTMENT PROPERTY/4 Units. Priced below construction cost! Exc loc/Hot RE mkt. 4 units, 2&3 BA, pos. \$ flow \$13,600 dw, priced at \$136K. Great \$ flow! Fully rented. Dan Doyle 800-841-1699 (toll free)

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708 Snowmobiles/ATV's

1980 MOTO-SKI SPECIAL, High Performance, dual carbs, 1,900 miles, mint condition. Excellent for kids or cabin. Asking \$500, 1981 SKI-DOO 4500 two seater. Oil injection, 1,700 miles, mint condition. Excellent for kids or cabin. Asking \$500. Must sell. (847) 356-0275.

1993 EXCITER SX. Both great condition. Very low miles. Must sell for \$3,600. (847) 566-1199.

1993 POLARIS INDY STORM, 1,800 miles, original owner, very clean, all updates, \$3,400. (847) 249-2685.

1995 POLARIS XCR 600, 1,400 miles, excellent condition, \$3,850/best. (847) 546-6974.

FOR SALE 1979 POLARIS CENTURION 500cc triple. Very clean and RELIABLE. good runner. Carbides and studs. Run-up stand and belts. Includes 1989 Snobird galv. two place trailer. \$1,475 for all. Must see. Fox Lake, Ill. (847) 937-5967 days. (847) 587-4031 after 5pm.

SNOWMOBILE TRAILER 1995 Triton, 4-place, brakes, salt shield, ski glides and spare, \$2,600. (847) 548-1854.

SNOWMOBILES POLARIS 1990 Indy 500SP, \$2,000. 1992 650RXL, \$2,500. (847) 526-9062 after 4pm.

710 Boat/Motors/Etc.

1989 WELL CRAFT BOAT, cuddy cabin, Alpine stereo, 8-cylinder engine, sundeck, excellent condition, low hours on motor. \$9,500.best. Pager (847) 216-2172.

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NORDIC TRAC WALK-FIT. Paid \$600, asking \$250. (847) 949-8493.

804 Cars for Sale

\$2,500 1985 ELDO CADILLAC (no A/C), gray in color, good shape. (414) 862-6452.

1979 FIREBIRD Super Sport, Classic Arizona Collectors car, 56,000 original miles, good condition, fully loaded, glass T-tops, mag wheels, automatic. Pager (847) 216-2172.

1984 MERCEDES WAGON 280TE, \$5,500. Must see. (847) 234-3675.

1987 DODGE ARIES, 147,000 miles, runs and looks good, silver, \$750. (815) 675-1171 after 6pm.

1989 ACURA INTEGRA LS, 3-door, power roof, automatic, cruise, tape deck, red, good condition, \$4,500/best. (847) 356-0298.

1989 FORD TAURUS, 4-door, burgundy, fully loaded, great condition, \$4,000. (847) 566-7218 after 5pm.

1989 CHEVY CAMARO excellent condition, one adult owner, T-tops, all options, \$3,800. (847) 680-5822 leave message.

1992 MERCURY TOPAZ, 2-door, very clean, runs good, 151,000 miles, \$2,000. (847) 546-7347.

1992 PONTIAC SUNBIRD CONVERTIBLE tape, cruise, automatic, new tires, \$6,500/best. (847) 356-0298.

1994 HONDA PRELUDE, white with blue interior, 5-speed, mint condition, \$11,000. (847) 543-1749.

1994 MAZDA MX3, sporty, black, excellent condition, A/C, P/S, cassette, 2-air bags, 35K, \$8,500. (847) 548-2082.

1994 TRANS AM GT LT1 V8, 6-speed, 35,000 miles, \$14,900/best. (414) 652-7957.

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1997 CAMARO Z28, black, T-tops, 6-speed, all other options, perfect condition, 3,000 miles. (847) 395-9886 after 4pm.

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CHEVROLET 1979 CORVETTE, excellent condition, \$10,500/best. (414) 886-4883.

CHEVROLET 1991 LUMINA, 2-door, am/fm cassette, sunroof, cruise, air, \$4,600/best (414) 877-2775 leave message.

CHRYSLER LEBARON 1979, 6-cylinder, 4-door, automatic, A/C, power, good shape, 68,000 original miles, \$1,200/best. (847) 740-1384.

DODGE 1989 DYNASTY LE, loaded, excellent condition, \$2,500. (847) 548-6503.

DODGE 1991 DAYTONA SHELBY, 2.5L turbo, full options, alarm remote starter, car cover, over 1yr. on warranty, \$6,000. (414) 945-1518, (414) 658-3687.

DODGE 1993 DYNASTY, great condition, power windows, am/fm cassette, \$6,800/best. (815) 337-9058.

PLYMOUTH 1983 TURISMO, little rust, looks good, runs good, \$750. (815) 385-1838.

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1995 CHEVROLET FULLY LOADED CONVERSION VAN, white with beige interior, A/C, excellent condition, 23K miles, \$19,500. (847) 548-7147.

CONVERSION VAN 1986 Ford, good running condition, great interior, \$1,400. (847) 247-0359.

823 Four Wheel Drive Jeeps

1980 CHEVY SILVERADO 4x4 Blazer, rebuilt engine, 400 turbo trans., A/C, Burgundy/Silver, lift kit, 79K miles, \$3,600/best. (847) 526-5130.

828 Four Wheel Drive Jeeps

1990 FORD 1984 F-150 4x4 PICKUP, power steering, power brakes, good runner. New battery, new gas tank. \$1,100/best. Must sell. (414) 654-6149 before 9pm leave message.

ISUZU 1989 TROOPER, fully loaded, rebuilt engine, 4x4, \$5,500. (847) 746-5808.

834 Trucks/Trailers

1990 CHEVY TRUCK 454SS, 86,000 miles, great shape in and out, must sell, \$7,600/best. Chris (815) 363-6951.

ONE OWNER WELL MAINTAINED 1978 Dodge Pickup truck, \$475. Excellent engine. Mechanically sound, dual exhaust, glass packs, King Club Cab, standard transmission. Needs paint job and minor floor board work (rust). Call after 6pm, ask for Mr. Coleman. Just over State line in Kenosha (414) 654-7905.

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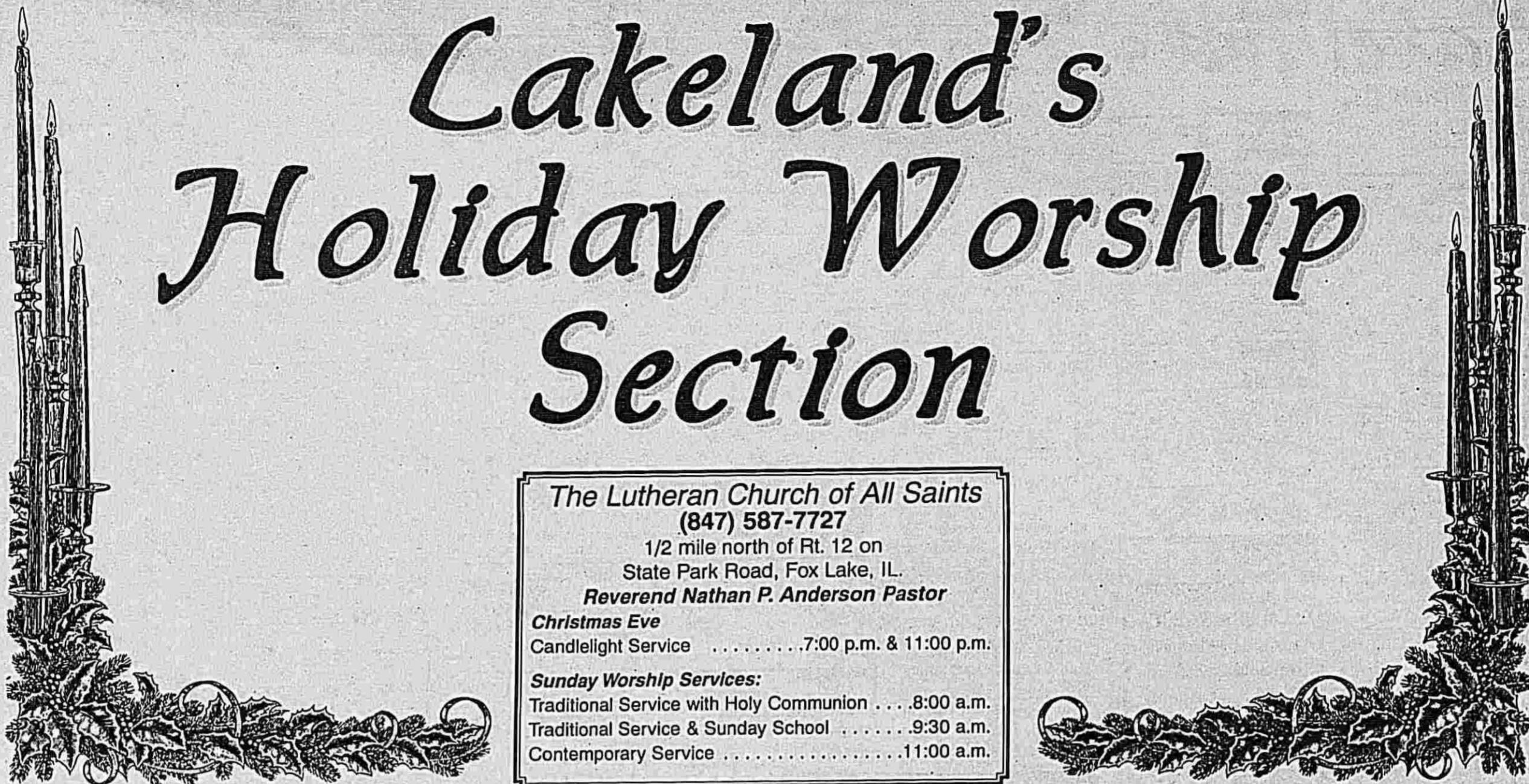
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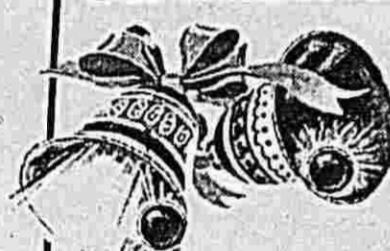
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Dec. 25th Christmas Day Worship with Communion 10:00 a.m.

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Sunday Worship Services:

Traditional Service with Holy Communion 8:00 a.m.

Traditional Service & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Contemporary Service 11:00 a.m.

St. Matthew Lutheran Church

24500 Old McHenry Rd.
Lake Zurich

(847) 438-7709



December 21st
Sunday School Service
(When The Time Had Fully Come) 4:00 p.m.

December 24th, Christmas Eve
Christmas Candlelight Services 7:00 p.m. & 11:00 p.m.

December 25th, Christmas Day
Christmas Day Service 10:00 a.m.
(Holy Communion)

New Year's Day 10:00 a.m.

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Adore Him!



Christmas Eve - 10:30PM

Carols (10:30PM) &
Eucharist (11:00PM)

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DEC. 25 CHRISTMAS DAY

11:00 AM

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December 21
8:15 a.m. Service
10:00 a.m. Service CONTATA
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
December 24, Christmas Eve
*5:00 p.m. Family Worship
*7:00 p.m. & 10:00 p.m.
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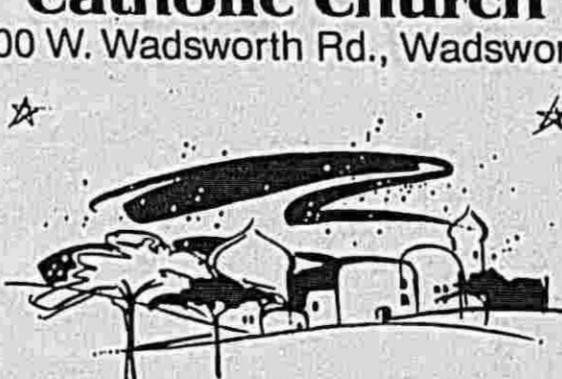
9:00 a.m.

Sunday Services

8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

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Mass Times:

Christmas Eve
5:00
(both churches)
12:00 Midnight
(new church)

Christmas Day
7:00, 8:30,
10:00, 11:30
(new church)

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Dec. 25 - Christmas Day
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Dec. 25 Christmas Day
Communion Service- 10:00 a.m.

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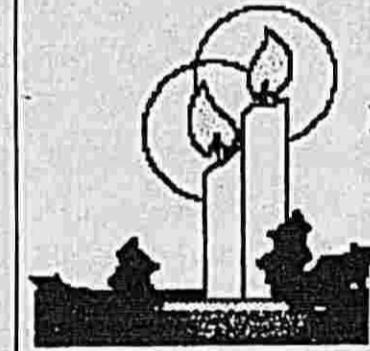
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Sunday, Dec. 21

Advent IV Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Wednesday, Dec. 24 Christmas Eve
 Family Worship 4:00 p.m.
 Candlelight Service & Cantata 10:30 p.m.
 Thursday Dec. 25 Christmas Day
 Christmas Communion Service 9:30 a.m.

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December 24 - Christmas Eve

7:00 P.M. - Family Candlelight Eucharist
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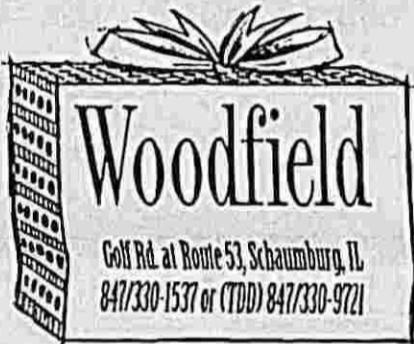
December 25, Christmas Day
 9:00 A.M. Christmas Worship Service - Communion

December 31 - New Years Eve
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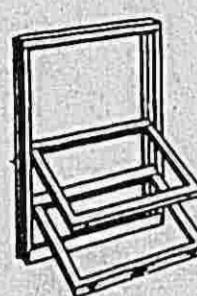
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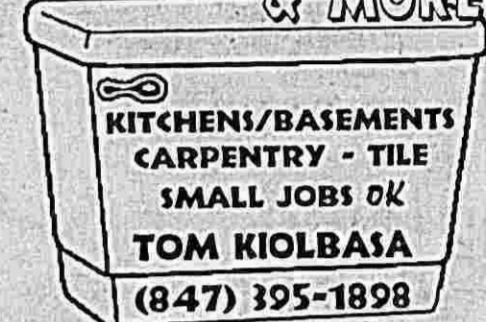
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